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## Borough Manager Cites Water Hazard In North End Paving

The difference in street and driveway levels along Terrace lane (as much as 5½ inches) was explained by Borough Manager Horace B. Gulden.

The borough manager said, "I told the contractors to build a level street, a street which will drain, a street which will last."

"If the streets aren't properly drained they won't last. It's no fault of the borough's that curbs are not perfectly curved."

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## October Proves Above Normal

October was a dry month by any standards, but the weatherman yesterday came up with the information that despite the drought, the precipitation during the month was .78 inch above normal.

The joker in the deck is that a large part of the rain came in the last part of the month and did little to relieve the arid, dusty early days.

There were 3.45 inches of rain during October, as compared with an average of 2.67, the weatherman reported.

There also was a temperature excess of 75 degrees, or 2.42 degrees daily. This means that the temperature was a total of 75 degrees above what is considered the average for the month.

The rains at the tail-end of October had been predicted and are expected to continue well into this month, at the least.

Ten Members Welcomed

Ten new members were welcomed at the meeting of St. Gabriel's lodge yesterday morning.

About 50 members attended the 10 o'clock meeting. Secretary Fortunato Tufani said. They discussed plans for a Christmas party.

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## Night-Shift Policemen Halt Vandalism Wave

Pottstown night-shift police officers checked the wave of Hallowe'en vandalism over the weekend, and soaped hundreds of windows without the support of their commander-in-chief, Burgess William A. Griffith.

There were only two vandalism calls on police log Saturday night after one of the busiest Friday nights in many years.

Three police patrol cars rushed from trouble spot to trouble spot Friday night to curb pranksters, permitted on the street after 9 o'clock because Burgess Griffith refused to invoke the curfew for Hallowe'en.

Police were busiest between 9 and 11 p. m.

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Pottstown's shuffling political campaign will end in the polling places of the borough's ten wards tomorrow.

Adding one tiny spark to the most silent campaign in history was the announcement last night that the Democrats will support a third candidate for school board.

Doris Berger, wife of Sol Berger, 1443 Cherry lane, (Sixth ward), asked Democratic leaders to endorse her candidacy.

She thus joins Virginia M. Morrell and Dorothy T. Rutter in the Democrats all female slate for school board.

MRS. BERGER, a PTA leader at the Rupert school, will conduct a last-hour sticker and write-in campaign.

The three Democratic women will be opposed by Republicans Herbert R. Maack, Douglas V. O'Dell and Herbert G. Stauffer. The terms of three Democratic incumbents, H. Clifford Creswell, Earl J. Reidenauer and Victor J. Roberts, expire.

None of the out-going directors received party endorsement.

MRS. MORRELL and Mrs. Rutter were named at the May primary and until yesterday they were the only candidates in the field for the Democrats.

Their names will appear on the ballot along with the three Republicans.

Besides the school boards posts, voters will elect a burgess, a tax collector, ten councilmen and an auditor.

William J. Boden, borough Republican leader, predicted an all-around GOP victory and estimated nearly 7000 voters, about 55 percent of them Republicans, will go to the polls.

Democratic campaign leaders (Continued on Page Five)

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## Bigger and Better Television Listings Begins Today

Recognizing increased interest in television, The Mercury today begins publication of bigger and better listings of television programs. Not only are all programs listed, but in many cases details and other pertinent data also are given.

Turn to Page 14 now for greater enjoyment of television entertainment and coverage. You'll like The Mercury's new and expanded television programs. Consult them daily to make sure you don't miss any top features.

## GHOSTS, GOBLINS CAN DEPART

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The ghosts and goblins which have haunted Pottstown streets for the past few days can leave now—they've all been judged.

In other words, the Optimist club's window painting winners have been announced. They are Diane Sandquist and Gail Minault, both Junior High school pupils, as were all the contestants.

Three-hundred boys and girls painted 200 store windows with Hallowe'en themes. Club members furnished 300 pounds of paint for the project.

Stanley L. Jones was chairman of the project. Mrs. Flora Burbank, former North Coventry High school

art teacher, and Delaine E. Story, human relation director at the Firestone Tire and Rubber company, were the judges.

THE painters were selected from a group of 1100 pupils who submitted drawings to Mrs. Mary Grofe, Junior High school art director. All paintings had to be original to be accepted for the project.

The prizes consist of camera or pen and pencil sets. The winning pair will have a choice of trophies or cameras. The awards will be presented at a special assembly this week in the Junior High school.

Optimist committee members for the project were Harry Hunsberger, William Rutter, Ray Meyer, Tom Swartz, Clyde Miller and Jones.

The other winners are: Second, Betty Lou Jones and Barbara Hill; third, Rodney Hermer and William Whitman; fourth, Rick Weaver and Lowry Burgess; fifth, Robert Stoltz and Richard Prospero; sixth, Luther Rife and William Miller; seventh, Elsie Reidnauer and Mary Lou Sonon; eighth, Diane and Linda Richard; ninth, John Neiman and John Lossman; tenth, Mary Ann McConnell and Helen Kadunze; 11th, Raymond Ayres Jr., and Rodney Elliott.



—Mercury Staff Photo  
Here's one fox who was outfoxed. Paul Fizz, 289 Beech street, shot him Saturday shortly after noon near Freese's Heights, Pottstown RD 3. Fizz heard some hunters in front of him yell "Fox, fox!"

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Eyrich, Yellow House, contained more than 41,000 bushels of new potatoes. Here,

firemen work cautiously as a section of the tin roof gives

### October Proves Above Normal

October was a dry month by any standards, but the weatherman yesterday came up with the information that despite the drought, the precipitation during the month was .78 inch above normal.

The joker in the deck is that a large part of the rain came in the last part of the month and did little to relieve the arid, dusty early days.

There were 3.45 inches of rain during October, as compared with an average of 2.67, the weatherman reported.

There also was a temperature excess of 75 degrees, or 2.42 degrees daily. This means that the temperature was a total of 75 degrees above what is considered the average for the month.

The rains at the tail-end of October had been predicted and are expected to continue well into this month, at the least.

Ten new members were welcomed at the meeting of St. Gabriel's lodge yesterday morning.

About 50 members attended the 10 o'clock meeting. Secretary Fortunato Tufani said. They discussed plans for a Christmas party.

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There were only two vandalism calls on police log Saturday night after one of the busiest Friday nights in many years.

Three police patrol cars rushed from trouble spot to trouble spot Friday night to curb pranks, permitted on the street after 9 o'clock because Burgess Griffith refused to invoke the curfew for Halloween.

Police were busiest between 9 and 11 p. m.

### Unit Will Discuss Traffic Problem On North Franklin

The North Franklin street parking situation, created by Burgess William Griffith endorsement of the no-parking ban, will be aired by police committee tonight.

Chairman Earl R. Strange, West ward, asserted, "The main item on the agenda will be a discussion of the parking situation on North Franklin street."

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Adding one tiny spark to the most silent campaign in history was the announcement last night that the Democrats will support a third candidate for school board.

The youths were apprehended and brought to borough hall by Sgt. Thomas A. Lawler. The owners of damaged arials said they would not prosecute when parents agreed to pay for damage.

Asked Sgt. Russell B. Hummel, who received more than a dozen calls on vandalism, kept the three patrol cars scurrying to trouble spots.

Much of the Halloween tomfoolery was the work of masked 'teen-agers, who would have been kept off the streets if the burgess had invoked the curfew ordinance on the books.

The past Tuesday night the burgess told The Mercury, "I don't think we have much trouble with the children here. There isn't much vandalism in Pottstown."

Griffith went on to explain he wouldn't invoke the ordinance.

Bigger and Better Television Listings Begins Today

Recognizing increased interest in television, The Mercury today begins publication of bigger and better listings of television programs. Not only are all programs listed, but in many cases details and other pertinent data also are given.

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William J. Boden, borough Republican leader, predicted an all-around GOP victory and estimated nearly 7000 voters, about 55 percent of them Republicans, will go to the polls.

Democratic campaign leaders (Continued on Page Five)

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The prizes consist of camera or pen and pencil sets. The winning pair will have a choice of trophies or cameras. The awards will be presented at a special assembly this week in the Junior High school.

Optimist committee mem-

bers for the project were Harry Hunsberger, William Ritzer, Ray Meyer, Tom Swartz, Clyde Miller and Jones.

The other winners are: Second, Betty Lou Jones and Barbara Hill; third, Rodney Hermer and William Witman; fourth, Rick Weaver and Lowry Burgess; fifth, Robert Stoltzfus and Richard Prospero; sixth, Luther Rife and William Miller; seventh, Elsie Reidnauer and Mary Lou Sonon; eighth, Diane and Linda Richard; ninth, John Neiman and John Lossman; tenth, Mary Ann McConnell and Helen Kadunze; 11th, Raymond Ayres Jr., and Rodney Elliott.

It is a high narrow bridge with a stone wall funneling to entrances on opposite sides of the stream.

Driver George Miller, 20, Lyndell, Chester county, drove his car against the stone wall on the north

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—Mercury Staff Photo

Here's one fox who was outfoxed. Paul Fizz, 269 Beech street, shot him Saturday shortly after noon near Freese Heights, Pottstown RD. 3. Fizz heard some hunters in front of him yell "Fox, fox!"

In a few seconds, Fizz fox ran right up to him. Fizz had a great day Saturday. Besides the 35-pound gray fox he popped off two rabbits, one pheasant and a squirrel.



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It brought to six the number who have asked for return to the Reds from that compound since a probe began Sunday into the alleged murder.

UNDER GRAY SKIES at dawn, a battalion of Indian guard troops had marched into the compound where the slaying was reported and surrounded other compounds nearby.

Prisoners had been warned to stay in their tents and to make no disturbances.

They were told that any attempt to rush Indian guards would be met by gunfire.

At 7:30, five minutes before the identification parade began, one POW ran silently from his tent.

He charged straight toward a group of about 50 Indian troops lined up in double rank.

Two rifle shots rang out. The momentum of his running carried the prisoner into the ranks of guards and he collapsed. He did not move again.

Fifteen minutes later his already stiffening body was carried out of the compound on a stretcher.

The back of his shirt was stained in two spots, where blood had oozed from bullet wounds.

Today's clockwork operation by Indian troops was in contrast to the noisy refusal of the prisoners to march by an identification checkpoint yesterday afternoon.



**MAKES SPECTACLE OF ITSELF** — Perhaps a pigeon psychiatrist could explain why this bird resists all attempts by the well-meaning to remove the eyeglass frame it wears as a necklace. The pigeon stuck its head through one frame and flies around Brookline, Mass., wearing the thing as though it were a priceless decoration.

At top, a fellow pigeon gives it the cold shoulder — probably because of envy.

At bottom is a closeup of the bird. Part of the frame is hidden by the pigeon's feathers.

**Labor Department Reports Over Half Working Women in US Are Married**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1 (AP)—The Labor department reported today that more than half of the 19 million working women in the country are married.

Back in 1940, married women accounted for only about one-third of the feminine work force which then numbered just under 12 million.

In the past 13 years, the women's bureau said, there's been almost a complete reversal in the proportion of single and married women holding jobs.

The report said a partial explanation of this may lie in the fact that the proportion of married women in the population has risen, but it offered no other suggestions.

THE PAST census showed that nearly five times as many women drew salaries and wages in 1950 as in 1890, the report added.

The women's bureau said that World Wars I and II and the Korean emergency gave impetus to a "long-time trend in which a constantly increasing number of women were working on jobs outside the home."

Industrial expansion and creation of new occupations, the report noted, "has meant an increasing need for women's work."

In addition to reporting a sharp drop in the number of women working as domestic servants, the bureau cited as a "significant trend" the mounting employment of "older women"—between the ages of 35 and 54. It said women in this age bracket now account

# HAMBURG VOTE GIVES ADENAUER HOUSE MAJORITY

Socialists Swept Out Of Control in Election

HAMBURG, Germany, Monday, Nov. 2 (AP)—Chancellor Konrad Adenauer's "Hamburg bloc" swept the deeply rooted Socialists out of control in the Hamburg State election, on the basis of complete but unofficial returns early today, and thereby won an advantage in the fight for West German rearmament.

The returns showed Adenauer's bloc captured 62 of the State Parliament's 120 seats in the voting Sunday. More than a million of the State's 1,270,000 eligible voters went to the polls in the hotly contested election.

The victory gave Adenauer's coalition—composed of Christian Democrats, Free Democrats, the German party and the Refugee party—the right to appoint the State's three members of the Federal Bundesrat (upper house) at Bonn.

The additional three members would give the chancellor a two-thirds voting majority in the Bundestag, the Lower House of the Federal parliament.

The unofficial results gave Adenauer's Hamburg coalition 503,997 (50 percent) votes. The Socialists, who had held control of the State parliament since 1945, won 455,372 votes (45.2 percent).

The Communists failed to get 5 percent of the votes, and thus won no seats in the State parliament. They got only 3.2 percent of the total votes. In the 1949 State election they captured five seats.

In the past State election, in 1949, the Socialists won 337,597 votes (42.8 per cent) while the parties represented in the present Adenauer coalition garnered 272,649 votes (34.5 percent).

The coalition victory pushed Minister President Max Brauer, a former naturalized American citizen and the Socialist leader, out of office.

**BOMB EXPLOSION REPORTED**

HAVANA, CUBA, Nov. 1 (AP)—A small bomb exploded last night in Santiago. The blast, in a building adjoining the University of Santiago, was the fourth reported in Santiago in two days. None caused casualties or serious damage.

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# Policeman Who Arrested Kidnapers Flies to Hawaiian Islands to Visit Son

HONOLULU, Nov. 1 (AP)—Former Police Lt. Louis Shoulders, who arrested the Bobby Greenlease kidnap-slayers in Kansas City and recovered half the \$600,000 ransom money, arrived in Honolulu last night on a vacation and flew today to the island of Maui to visit his son, Bruce.

He spent last night in Honolulu with friends of his son.

Shoulders flew here under an assumed name. But when asked his identity by reporters he replied: "I'm not Lt. Shoulders, I'm ex-Lt. Shoulders."

He looked tired and ruffled. He said "I want to rest and be left alone."

He resigned from the St. Louis police force after questioning by a police board on his handling of the case.

THE VETERAN officer testified, before a grand jury in Kansas City the past Wednesday and Thursday about his part in the arrest of the confessed Greenlease

# Shore Resort Hotel Destroyed by Fire

SEA BRIGHT, N. J., Nov. 1 (AP)—A raging five-hour fire destroyed the 72-year-old Charles Manor hotel and gutted the adjoining Sea Bright inn on the main street of this seaside resort early today.

No one was killed, but one lodger and two firemen were hospitalized and dozens of firemen were overcome by smoke and treated at the scene.

The blaze apparently started in an oil heater on the ground floor of the Charles Manor and mushroomed through the old three-story wooden structure, which had 23 rooms and was one of Sea Bright's finest hotels when it was built in 1881.

After disembarking he went to the control tower of the Honolulu airport to dodge talking further with newsmen.

Shoulders said he had a son in the Hawaiian islands and "I hope to see him soon."

The Civic Aeronautics authority said a Bruce S. Shoulders is in charge of their control tower at the airport on the island of Maui, south of Honolulu.

An Associated Press reporter followed Shoulders to the control tower and talked briefly to him there.

The former police officer said "I hope to live here."

Asked if he had any job plans, Shoulders said, "I retired," and then after a brief pause, "I have resigned."

Several FBI agents were at the airport last night but a spokesman for the FBI said today they were not there because of Shoulders' arrival. The spokesman refused to comment further and said as far as he was concerned the matter is closed.

A Honolulu police detective at the airport was asked if he were going to talk to the former St. Louis police officer and he said, "No, I'm going to stay as far away as possible."

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# Senator Williams Will Introduce Bill To Ban Free Ship Passes for Officials

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1 (AP)—Senator Williams (R-De) said today he is going to introduce a bill to ban free steamship passes for Congress members and other public officials.

Enactment of the measure, he said in a statement, "should go far in the breaking up of lobbying activities of certain steamship companies" in connection with maritime subsidy legislation.

His bill also would bar cut rates on sea voyages for public officials.

Williams said "the promiscuous issuance of railroad passes in the late eighties to influence public opinion and legislative action became a national scandal."

This led to an Act of Congress prohibiting the practice, he recalled. Common carriers by air and inland water routes are also

subject to similar prohibition.

"An examination of Federal regulation of water transportation, however, indicates that some of the abuses which grew out of free transportation on the railroads now exist with respect to water transportation," Williams said.

"In the case of water carriers subject to the jurisdiction of the Federal Maritime board, there is no statutory provision specifically prohibiting free or reduced transportation rates being given to members of Congress, other public officials, or their families."

The senator told a reporter that his measure was not aimed at senators, representatives or Government officials traveling abroad on investigations or other public business. In such cases, the Treasury picks up the tab.

But he said he knew of some cases in which passes had been offered and accepted for pleasure jaunts. And in some instances, he said, wives of members of Congress have received cut rates when accompanying their husbands on committee tours abroad.

Williams' statement said practically all of the shipping companies "are currently receiving substantial Government subsidies."

# Churchill Painting Is Offered for Sale

NEW YORK, Nov. 1 (AP)—A Winston Churchill painting, left by the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt to his son, Elliott, is for sale at the Hammer galleries here.

A spokesman for the galleries said the "Tower of Katoubia Mosque," painted by the British Prime Minister after the wartime Casablanca conference, has been offered for sale at \$7500.

He said the canvas has been for sale about a year, but it has not been advertised.

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After the identification parade was finished, two more POWs dashed down the runway to Indian guards and asked repatriation.

It brought to six the number who have asked for return to the Reds from that compound since a probe began Sunday into the alleged murder.

UNDER GRAY SKIES at dawn, a battalion of Indian guard troops had marched into the compound where the slaying was reported and surrounded other compounds nearby.

Prisoners had been warned to stay in their tents and to make no disturbances.

They were told that any attempt to rush Indian guards would be met by gunfire.

At 7:30, five minutes before the identification parade began, one POW ran silently from his tent.

He charged straight toward a group of about 50 Indian troops lined up in double rank.

Two rifle shots rang out. The momentum of his running carried the prisoner into the ranks of guards and he collapsed. He did not move again.

Fifteen minutes later his already stiffening body was carried out of the compound on a stretcher.

The back of his shirt was stained in two spots, where blood had oozed from bullet wounds.

Today's clockwork operation by Indian troops was in contrast to the noisy refusal of the prisoners to march by an identification checkpoint yesterday afternoon.



**MAKES SPECTACLE OF ITSELF** — Perhaps a pigeon psychiatrist could explain why this bird resists all attempts by the well-meaning to remove the eyeglass frame it wears as a necklace. The pigeon stuck its head through one frame and

flies around Brookline, Mass., wearing the thing as though it were a priceless decoration. At top, a fellow pigeon gives it the cold shoulder — probably because of envy. At bottom is a closeup of the bird. Part of the frame is hidden by the pigeon's feathers.

## Labor Department Reports Over Half Working Women in US Are Married

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1 (AP)—The Labor department reported today that more than half of the 19 million working women in the country are married.

Back in 1940, married women accounted for only about one-third of the feminine work force which then numbered just under 12 million.

In the past 13 years, the women's bureau said, there's been almost a complete reversal in the proportion of single and married women holding jobs.

The report said a partial explanation of this may lie in the fact that the proportion of married women in the population has risen, but it offered no other suggestions.

THE PAST census showed that nearly five times as many women drew salaries and wages in 1950 as in 1890, the report added.

The women's bureau said that World Wars I and II and the Korean emergency gave impetus to a "long-time trend in which a constantly increasing number of women were working on jobs outside the home."

Industrial expansion and creation of new occupations, the report noted, "has meant an increasing need for women's work."

In addition to reporting a sharp drop in the number of women working as domestic servants, the bureau cited as a "significant trend" the mounting employment of "older women"—between the ages of 35 and 54. It said women in this age bracket now account

for about 40 percent of the entire feminine work force.

The report said there were 58 million women of working age in the country as of April, and about one-third of them held jobs.

Other statistics: Women's wages still lag behind those paid to men.

Less than 1 percent of women workers earn \$5000 or more a year.

More than 80 percent get less than \$2500 a year.

However, a constantly rising number of women may be found in "really important posts in the business and industrial world."

## Churchill Painting Is Offered for Sale

NEW YORK, Nov. 1 (AP)—A Winston Churchill painting, left by the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt to his son, Elliott, is for sale at the Hammer galleries here.

A spokesman for the galleries said the "Tower of Katoumba Mosque," painted by the British Prime Minister after the wartime Casablanca conference, has been offered for sale at \$7500.

He said the canvas has been for sale about a year, but it has not been advertised.

The painting was presented to the late President around Christmas, 1943. Roosevelt, in turn, left it to his son.

## HAMBURG VOTE GIVES ADENAUER HOUSE MAJORITY

Socialists Swept Out Of Control in Election

HAMBURG, Germany, Monday, Nov. 2 (AP)—Chancellor Konrad Adenauer's "Hamburg bloc" won the deeply rooted Socialists out of control in the Hamburg State election, on the basis of complete but unofficial returns early today, and thereby won an advantage in the fight for West German rearmament.

The returns showed Adenauer's bloc captured 62 of the State Parliament's 120 seats in the voting Sunday. More than a million of the State's 1,270,000 eligible voters went to the polls in the hotly contested election.

The victory gave Adenauer's coalition—composed of Christian Democrats, Free Democrats, the German party and the Refugee party—the right to appoint the State's three members of the Federal Bundesrat (upper house) at Bonn.

The additional three members would give the chancellor a two-thirds voting majority in the Federal Upper House, the majority needed to push through any constitutional changes which may be needed for rearmament.

THE COALITION already holds a two-thirds voting majority in the Bundestag, the Lower House of the Federal parliament.

The unofficial results gave Adenauer's Hamburg coalition 503,997 (50 percent) votes. The Socialists, who had held control of the State parliament since 1945, won 455,372 votes (45.2 percent).

The Communists failed to get 5 percent of the votes, and thus won no seats in the State parliament. They got only 3.2 percent of the total votes. In the 1949 State election they captured five seats.

In the past State election, in 1949, the Socialists won 337,897 votes (42.8 per cent) while the parties represented in the present Adenauer coalition garnered 272,649 votes (34.5 percent).

The coalition victory pushed Minister President Max Brauer, a former naturalized American citizen and the Socialist leader, out of office.

## BOMB EXPLOSION REPORTED

HAVANA, CUBA, Nov. 1 (AP)—A small bomb exploded last night in Santiago. The blast, in a building adjoining the University of Santiago, was the fourth reported in Santiago in two days. None caused casualties or serious damage.

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## Policeman Who Arrested Kidnapers Flies to Hawaiian Islands to Visit Son

HONOLULU, Nov. 1 (AP)—Former Police Lt. Louis Shoulders, who arrested the Bobby Greenlease kidnap-slayers in Kansas City and recovered half the \$600,000 ransom money, arrived in Honolulu last night on a vacation and flew today to the island of Maui to visit his son, Bruce.

He spent last night in Honolulu with friends of his son.

Shoulders flew here under an assumed name. But when asked his identity by reporters he replied: "I'm not Lt. Shoulders, I'm ex-Lt. Shoulders."

He looked tired and ruffled. He said "I want to rest and be left alone."

He resigned from the St. Louis police force after questioning by a police board on his handling of the case.

THE VETERAN officer testified before a grand jury in Kansas City the past Wednesday and Thursday about his part in the arrest of the confessed Greenlease

slayers and recovery of half of the ransom money. Then he was released by court officials and told he was not needed any further.

Shoulders said at that time he was going to take a vacation but did not say where. Few if any of his friends in St. Louis were aware last night that he had left town.

He was listed on the United Airlines manifest as Sherman A. Woodlaw, Wilton hotel, Long Beach.

After disembarking he went to the control tower of the Honolulu airport to dodge talking further with newsmen.

Shoulders said he had a son in the Hawaiian islands and "I hope to see him soon."

The Civic Aeronautics authority said a Bruce S. Shoulders is in charge of their control tower at the airport on the island of Maui, south of Honolulu.

An Associated Press reporter followed Shoulders to the control tower and talked briefly to him there.

The former police officer said "I hope to live here." Asked if he had any job plans, Shoulders said, "I retired" and then after a brief pause, "I have resigned."

Several FBI agents were at the airport last night but a spokesman for the FBI said today they were not there because of Shoulders' arrival. The spokesman refused to comment further and said as far as he was concerned the matter is closed.

A Honolulu police detective at the airport was asked if he were going to talk to the former St. Louis police officer and he said, "No, I'm going to stay as far away as possible."

## Shore Resort Hotel Destroyed by Fire

SEA BRIGHT, N. J., Nov. 1 (AP)—A raging five-hour fire destroyed the 72-year-old Charles Manor hotel and gutted the adjoining Sea Bright inn on the main street of this seaside resort early today.

No one was killed, but one lodger and two firemen were hospitalized and dozens of firemen were overcome by smoke and treated at the scene.

The blaze apparently started in an oil heater on the ground floor of the Charles Manor and mushroomed through the old three-story wooden structure, which had 23 rooms and was one of Sea Bright's finest hotels when it was built in 1881.

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## Senator Williams Will Introduce Bill To Ban Free Ship Passes for Officials

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1 (AP)—Senator Williams (R-De) said today he is going to introduce a bill to ban free steamship passes for Congress members and other public officials.

Enactment of the measure, he said in a statement, "should go far in the breaking up of lobbying activities of certain steamship companies" in connection with maritime subsidy legislation. His bill also would bar cut rates on sea voyages for public officials.

Williams said "the promiscuous issuance of railroad passes in the late eighties to influence public opinion and legislative action became a national scandal."

This led to an Act of Congress prohibiting the practice, he recalled. Common carriers by air and inland water routes are also

subject to similar prohibition. "An examination of Federal regulation of water transportation, however, indicates that some of the abuses which grew out of free transportation on the railroads now exist with respect to water transportation," Williams said.

"In the case of water carriers subject to the jurisdiction of the Federal Maritime board, there is no statutory provision specifically prohibiting free or reduced transportation rates being given to members of Congress, other public officials, or their families."

The senator told a reporter that his measure was not aimed at senators, representatives or Government officials traveling abroad on investigations or other public business. In such cases, the Treasury picks up the tab.

But he said he knew of some cases in which passes had been offered and accepted for pleasure jaunts. And in some instances, he said, wives of members of Congress have received cut rates when accompanying their husbands on committee tours abroad.

Williams' statement said practically all of the shipping companies "are currently receiving substantial Government subsidies."

## LOCAL NOTICES

Rummage sale today, Moose hall, 8 a. m., by First Baptist church.

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# 700 Issued Challenge at Reformation Day Rites

## 'Make More Perfect' Work Begun By Martin Luther, Audience Told

Reformation Day audiences at two union services in Pottstown last night were challenged to "make more perfect" the work begun by Martin Luther.

"What we need today are men and women whose consciences will be captive to God's will and God's word," the Rev. Dr. L. Ralph Tabor, Washington, D. C. told 700 persons at Emmanuel Lutheran church.

At the other service in Zion's Reformed church, the Rev. Dr. Lee J. Gable said to a union congregation of 250, "The past is in our hands, but it is not perfect, unless we make it so."

Sixteen Pottstown area churches were represented at the beginning of the Protestant Reformation.

Of these, ten were Lutheran churches taking part in the service at Emmanuel Lutheran.

The others were the five local Reformed churches and the congregation of First Presbyterian, who worshipped together at Zion's.

BOTH MASS meetings noted the 436th anniversary of the day when Martin Luther nailed his 95 theses on the door of the Castle church at Wittenburg, Germany, and, by his defiance of the Pope, started the Reformation.

Dr. Tabor's sermon at Emmanuel was titled "A Captive Conscience."

"Luther told the Diet of Worms in 1521 that his conscience was captive to the Word of God," he explained.

This meant absolute obedience to the Will of God as revealed to him. It was a reliance on God in all situations, the speaker added.

"Because Luther's conscience was captive to God's Word, he could never compromise," Dr. Tabor emphasized.

A COMBINED choir of 106 voices sang two Reformation anthems during the union service.

The Rev. Dr. Luther A. Krouse, Emmanuel pastor, and the Rev. Eugene B. Umberger, pastor of Transfiguration Lutheran, were in charge of the service.

"Roots and Wings" was Dr. Gable's sermon theme at the Reformed-Presbyterian service.

"Our roots go deep here," he said. "Ancestors of present members of Zion's church lived the early history of this State, and their ancestors received inspiration to come here from the Reformers themselves—Zwingli and Luther."

He said it was up to present-day Christians to give wings to the teachings of the great Reformers from the past.

Massed choirs at the Zion's service include 60 voices from the co-operating churches.

Under the direction of Mrs. Norman G. Lepper, Trinity Reformed minister of music, they sang the stirring "Onward Christian Soldiers" as the anthem of the service.

The Rev. C. William Ebbert, pastor of St. Paul's Reformed, Walnut and Penn streets, conducted the service.

Both the Zion's and Emmanuel services began with processions of choirs, consistories and clergy of the churches represented.

Three Lutheran churches participated this year for the first time in the annual service at Emmanuel.

They were Augustus, Trappe; St. Paul's, Sassamansville; and St. Luke's, Gilbertsville.

Other congregations represented at Emmanuel were those from New Hanover, St. John's (South Pottstown), Transfiguration, Grace, St. James, St. Peter's (Stove) and St. James, Limerick.

Churches represented at Zion's were First Presbyterian and St. John's, St. Paul's (Stove), St. Paul's (Walnut street), and Trinity Reformed.

## REV. T. E. GETZ ELECTED PASTOR AT AREA CHURCH

A four-week instruction course for couples planning to marry will begin tonight in St. Aloysius parochial school.

The Family Life bureau of the Philadelphia archdiocese is the sponsor.

"Purpose of the course is to prepare prospective brides and grooms for a happy wedded life," explained the Rev. William M. Begley, rector of St. Aloysius Catholic church.

He said that the course is intended for couples from all local parishes.

"Non-Catholic couples may attend, also," he added. "There is no charge or obligation."

The course will include one instruction class Monday at 8 p. m. with Father Begley in charge of tonight's class. An approved physician will teach the Nov. 16 class.

Father Begley will also speak at the Catholic inquiry class tomorrow at 8 p. m. in the Knights of Columbus hall on King street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Copenhafer presented the bulletin for this week at Grace Lutheran, in memory of loved ones.

Local Seventh Day Adventists will hold their cottage prayer meeting on Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Sadie Bowman.

George Morgan, assistant pastor, and Mrs. Catherine Martin, temperance secretary, were in charge of the special temperance service the Adventists held on Saturday. Morgan was principal speaker.

Eight children were baptized by the Rev. Dr. Luther A. Krouse, pastor of Emmanuel Lutheran, after morning services there yesterday.

Those receiving the Sacrament were Virginia Theda Ripka, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Ripka; Wendy Lynn Embody, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William I. Embody; and Robert David Fry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Fry.

Also Alan Lee Levensgood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Levensgood; Jennifer Burdett Hartman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Hartman; Garry Leroy Ludwig, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel E. Ludwig; Ronald David Boerner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Boerner; and Charles Thomas Traynor Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Traynor.

At Christ Episcopal, the Rev. George A. Liner, rector, baptized David Allen Leh, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Leh, at noon yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Nottle presented the flowers at Trinity Reformed yesterday in memory of loved ones.

Wayne Mest will be host to fellow-consistories of Zion's Reformed at a supper meeting in his home at 6:30 o'clock tonight.

Mrs. Edward S. Horn was in charge of the nursery at St. James Lutheran yesterday morning. Flowers in the church were given by Ezra Yeger in memory of his wife, and by the Women's guild.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Vander-slice presented the flowers at First Brethren yesterday in loving memory of their parents.

The Rev. Ralph R. Frey, First Brethren pastor, reported at evening worship there last night on the recent district meeting he attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Rev. Frey Robert Fox will be hosts to the Baltzell EUB Beacon Bible class at their home on Thursday night.

Perfect attendance at Trinity Evangelical Sunday school for the past three months has been achieved by William Hertzog, Charles Frymoyer, Albert Shadler, William Schoenly, Clinton Fry, Mrs. Herbert Rossler, Judith Feicht, LaRue Frymoyer, Burton Beck, Lewis Zern, William Feicht, and Mrs. Arthur H. Simpson.

Trinity Evangelical Congregational, the Rev. Donald T. Floyd, pastor, Wednesday, Junior and intermediate choirs, 6:30 p. m.; prayer meeting, 7:45 p. m.; Thursday, catechetical class, 6:30 p. m.

Jehovah's Witnesses, Kingdom Hall, 137 High street, Tomorrow, Bible study, 8 p. m.; Thursday, theocratic Bible study hour on topic "Hosea," 7:30 p. m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 254 High street, Wednesday, evening meeting with selections from the Bible and from "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, testimonies of healing, 6 p. m.

Holiness Christian, the Rev. Berwyn H. Hainley, pastor, Wednesday, prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.; Circle 1 meeting, 7:30 p. m.; Circle 2 meeting, 7:30 p. m.

First Presbyterian, the Rev. A. Burtis Hallock, pastor, Today, Girl Scout Troop 3, 4 p. m.; Boy Scout Troop 3, 7 p. m.; tomorrow, Circle 2 meeting at home of Mrs. George Cocke, 1 p. m.; Circle 2 meeting at home of Mrs. Fred E. Kelly, 1:30 p. m.; Circle 1 meeting, 7:30 p. m.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Red Hill, elected a new pastor yesterday.

The Rev. Theodore E. Getz, of M. Begley, rector of St. Aloysius Catholic church, meeting after he had preached a trial sermon at the morning service.

He will replace the late Rev. H. Krauss, pastor there until his death recently.

The Rev. Getz is now pastor of the Alburtis Lutheran church. He will take over his new charge next January.

OVER 400 persons filled the Red Hill church to hear the trial sermon. One parishioner said it was the largest audience to hear a sermon there for several years.

Christian stewardship in the light of the Reformation was the theme of the sermon.

The new 26-year-old pastor is a graduate of Germantown High school, Muhlenberg college and Mt. Airy seminary.

He is married and the father of one child.

FORREST Henry, head of the St. Paul's pulpit committee, said last night that the committee had heard six pastors before inviting the Rev. Getz to preach the trial sermon.

The Rev. Walter Hagey, treasurer of the Lutheran Ministerium of Pennsylvania, presided at the congregational meeting.

Among those who will supply the St. Paul's pulpit until the new pastor takes charge will be the Rev. Dr. Paul Yount and Seminarian Kenneth Ensminger. Both have spoken there before.

## OBITUARIES

Funeral services for **GEORGE BATSASAKS**, 138 HIGH STREET, were held Saturday morning from the Fleischmann Funeral home, 726 High street.

The Rev. George Aloupis, of Reading, officiated. Further services were held in Holy Trinity Russian Orthodox church. The Rev. Jonah Milasevich, pastor, assisted at the church service. Interment was in Mount Zion cemetery.

Funeral services for **DOROTHY A. PETERSON**, wife of Chester W. Peterson, ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., were held Saturday afternoon from the Fleischmann Funeral home, 726 High street. The Rev. Edward Odd Fellows, and the Seneca club. He is survived by his wife, Ruth (DeWitt) Hanley, and a sister, Mrs. Bessie Gearhard, 1156 Queen street, and two daughters by a previous marriage.

Services in charge of Harley's Funeral home, 404 High street, will be conducted from the Calvary church, at 1:30 p. m. Thursday. Officiating will be the Rev. William H. Ralston, pastor of Calvary church.

Interment will be in Mt. Zion cemetery.

Services for **MARTHA B. (SHINN) FOLEY**, wife of Walter E. Foley, 907 NORTH CHARLOTTE STREET, were held on Saturday at 2 p. m. at the Harley funeral home, 404 High street.

The Rev. Laurence T. Beers, pastor of First Baptist church, officiated.

Private interment was made in Highland Memorial park.

Bearers were William A. Schutz, John Gilbert, LeRoy Moyer, John Supplee, A. D. Barndt and Francis C. Jewell.

Services for **JAY ELLIS HOY**, son of John C. and Fay Winifred (Ellis) Hoy, 36 EAST MAIN STREET, SOUTH POTTSTOWN, were conducted from the White Memorial home, Parkerford, at 2 p. m. Saturday.

Officiating was the Rev. George F. Eichorn, pastor of St. John's Lutheran church, South Pottstown. Interment was in Mt. Zion cemetery.

Funeral services for **WILLIAM J. HANLEY**, 69, of WEST CHESTER, a former Pottstown business man, died at his home at 6 o'clock last night after an illness of one year.

Mr. Hanley lived in West Chester for the past 20 years.

Prior to that he owned and operated a confectionery, bakery and ice cream business at 288 High street.

He was a member of Calvary Lutheran church, West Chester, and the brotherhood of the church.

He was a former member of the Order of Elks, Manatawny Lodge 214, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, and the Seneca club. He is survived by his wife, Ruth (DeWitt) Hanley, and a sister, Mrs. Bessie Gearhard, 1156 Queen street, and two daughters by a previous marriage.

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## Pottstown's Church Calendar

**EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN**  
Bethel, the Rev. John L. Smoker, pastor. Today, church council, 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school council, 8:30 p. m.; tomorrow, Boy Scouts, 7 p. m.; Wednesday, weekday Bible school, 2:45 p. m.; Friday, junior choir, 4 p. m.; service, 7:30 p. m.; Thursday, Girl Scouts, 7 p. m.; Beacon Bible class meeting at home of Robert Fox, 8 p. m.; Friday, junior choir, 4 p. m.; senior choir, 7:30 p. m.; Saturday, Brownies, 10:30 a. m.; Gleaners class family party and winter roast on parsonage lawn, 7:30 p. m.

**BAPTIST**  
First, the Rev. Laurence T. Beers, pastor. Today, trustees' meeting in church office, 7 p. m.; Gnosts class, 7:30 p. m.; home of Mrs. Florence Hildebrand, 8:30 p. m.; tomorrow, Brownies, 4 p. m.; Girl Scouts, 4:45 p. m.; Wednesday, youth choir rehearsal, 4 p. m.; covered dish supper sponsored by Missionary society, 6:30 p. m.; devotional service after supper, with message by Mrs. Irene Lovett, 7:30 p. m.; senior choir rehearsal, 8:45 p. m.; Friday, Christian education board meeting in church office, 8 p. m.

**METHODIST**  
First, the Rev. Martin J. Brinton, pastor. Today, Jaynet's school of churchmanship at Pottsville, 6:30 p. m.; Wednesday, children's choir rehearsal, 8:30 p. m.; chapel choir rehearsal, 7:30 p. m.; prayer hour, 7:30 p. m.; chancel choir rehearsal, 8:30 p. m.; Thursday, WSCS meeting in church, 7:45 p. m.

**UNITED METHODIST**  
First, the Rev. Martin J. Brinton, pastor. Today, Jaynet's school of churchmanship at Pottsville, 6:30 p. m.; Wednesday, children's choir rehearsal, 8:30 p. m.; chapel choir rehearsal, 7:30 p. m.; prayer hour, 7:30 p. m.; chancel choir rehearsal, 8:30 p. m.; Thursday, WSCS meeting in church, 7:45 p. m.

**GRACE**  
The Rev. Edgar S. Brown Jr., pastor. Tomorrow, chapel choir, 8:30 p. m.; Wednesday, weekday parish school (Grades 3, 4, 5 and 6, 2:45 p. m.); age four through Second grade, 3 p. m.; junior choir, 4 p. m.; Ladies Bible class meeting, 8 p. m.; Thursday, Sunday school board meeting, 7 p. m.; vestry meeting, 8 p. m.; Saturday, pre-catechetical and junior catechetical classes, 9 a. m.; senior catechetical class, 10 a. m.

**ST. JAMES**  
The Rev. Edward S. Horn, pastor. Today, Brownies, 3:45 p. m.; Boy Scouts, 7 p. m.; tomorrow, Women's Missionary society, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, pre-catechetical class, 4 p. m.; catechetical class, 6:30 p. m.; church council, 8 p. m.; Thursday, chancel choir rehearsal, 8 p. m.; junior choir rehearsal, 10 a. m.

**ST. JOHN'S**  
The Rev. George F. Eichorn, pastor. Today, senior confirmation class, 6:30 p. m.; intermediate-senior Luther league meeting, 7:30 p. m.; tomorrow, leadership training school at Emmanuel, led by the Rev. Eichorn, 7:30 p. m.; Loyal club meeting, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, junior confirmation class, 3:45 p. m.; annual stewardship dinner, 6:30 p. m.; Thursday, chapel choir rehearsal, 6:45 p. m.; junior choir rehearsal, 7 p. m.; senior choir rehearsal, 8 p. m.; Friday, junior Luther league Hallows'en party, 7 p. m.; Saturday, intermediate-senior Luther league hayride from the church, 8 p. m.

**ST. PETER'S**  
The Rev. A. S. Hanson, pastor. Today, Boy and Girl Scouts, 7:30 p. m.; Wednesday, weekday church school, 1 p. m. and 2 p. m.; Thursday, 7:30 p. m.; senior choir rehearsal, 8 p. m.; Friday, junior choir, 4 p. m.; Saturday, catechetical classes, 10 a. m. and 11 a. m.

**TRANSFIGURATION**  
The Rev. Eugene B. Umberger, pastor. Today, chapel choir, 7 p. m.; Thursday, senior choir, 7:45 p. m.; vestry, 8 p. m.; Friday, junior choir, 4 p. m.; Boy Scouts, 7:30 p. m.; Saturday, junior catechetical class, 10 a. m.; senior catechetical class, 11 a. m.

**REFORMED**  
St. John's, the Rev. Paul C. Scheier, pastor. Tomorrow, church school council, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, confirmation class, 6:30 p. m.; Thursday, junior choir, 3:45 p. m.; senior choir, 8:15 p. m.; Friday, consistory, 7:30 p. m.

**ST. PAUL'S**  
The Rev. Paul C. Scheier, pastor. Today, confirmation class, 7 p. m.; Thursday, junior choir.

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# 700 Issued Challenge at Reformation Day Rites

## 'Make More Perfect' Work Begun By Martin Luther, Audience Told

Reformation Day audiences at two union services in Pottstown last night were challenged to "make more perfect" the work begun by Martin Luther.

"What we need today are men and women whose consciences will be captive to God's will and God's word," the Rev. Dr. L. Ralph Tabor, Washington, D. C. told 700 persons at Emmanuel Lutheran church.

At the other service in Zion's Reformed church, the Rev. Dr. Lee J. Gable said to a union congregation of 250, "The past is in our hands, but it is not perfect, unless we make it so."

Sixteen Pottstown area churches were represented at the two services that marked the beginning of the Protestant Reformation.

Of these, ten were Lutheran churches taking part in the service at Emmanuel Lutheran.

The others were the five local reformed churches and the congregation of First Presbyterian, who worshipped together at Zion's.

BOTH MASS meetings noted the 436th anniversary of the day when Martin Luther nailed his 95 theses on the door of the Castle church at Wittenburg, Germany, and, by his defiance of the Pope, started the Reformation.

Dr. Tabor's sermon at Emmanuel was titled "A Captive Conscience."

"Luther told the Diet of Worms in 1521 that his conscience was captive to the Word of God," he explained.

This meant absolute obedience to the Will of God as revealed to him. It was a reliance on God in all situations, the speaker added.

"Because Luther's conscience was captive to God's Word, he could never compromise," Dr. Tabor emphasized.

A COMBINED choir of 106 voices sang two Reformation anthems during the union service.

The Rev. Dr. Luther A. Krouse,

## REV. T. E. GETZ ELECTED PASTOR AT AREA CHURCH

Red Hill Congregation Makes Decision At Meeting

St. Paul's Lutheran church, Red Hill, elected a new pastor yesterday.

The Rev. Theodore E. Getz, of Alburtis, was elected by a vote of 379 to 27 at a congregational meeting after he had preached a trial sermon at the morning service.

He will replace the late Rev. H. Krauss, pastor there until his death recently.

The Rev. Getz is now pastor of the Alburtis Lutheran church. He will take over his new charge next January.

OVER 400 persons filled the Red Hill church to hear the trial sermon. One parishioner said it was the largest audience to hear a sermon there for several years.

Christian stewardship in the light of the Reformation was the theme of the sermon.

The new 26-year-old pastor is a graduate of Germantown High school, Muhlenberg college and Mt. Airy seminary.

He is married and the father of one child.

FORREST Henry, head of the St. Paul's pulpit committee, said last night that the committee had heard six pastors before inviting the Rev. Getz to preach the trial sermon.

The Rev. Walter Hagey, treasurer of the Lutheran Ministerium of Pennsylvania, presided at the congregational meeting.

Among those who will supply the St. Paul's pulpit until the new pastor takes charge will be the Rev. Dr. Paul Yount and Seminarian Kenneth Ensminger. Both have spoken there before.

## Catholics Here Will Begin Pre-Marital Classes Tonight

A four-week instruction course for couples planning to marry will begin tonight in St. Aloysius parochial school.

The family life bureau of the Philadelphia archdiocese is the sponsor.

"Purpose of the course is to prepare prospective brides and grooms for a happy wedded life," explained the Rev. William M. Begley, rector of St. Aloysius Catholic church.

He said that the course is intended for couples from all local parishes.

"Non-Catholic couples may attend, also," he added. "There is no charge or obligation."

The course will include one instruction each Monday at 8 p. m. with Father Begley in charge of tonight's class. An approved physician will teach the Nov. 16 class.

Father Begley will also speak at the Catholic inquiry class tomorrow at 8 p. m. in the Knights of Columbus hall on King street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Copenhaver presented the bulletin for this week at Grace Lutheran, in memory of loved ones.

Local Seventh Day Adventists will hold their cottage prayer meeting on Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Sadie Bowman.

George Morgan, assistant pastor and Mrs. Catherine Martin, temperance secretary, were in charge of the special temperance service the Adventists held on Saturday.

Eight children were baptized by the Rev. Dr. Luther A. Krouse, pastor of Emmanuel Lutheran, after morning services there yesterday.

Those receiving the Sacrament were Virginia Theda Ripka, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Ripka; Wendy Lynn Embody, daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. William I. Embody; and Robert David Fry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Fry.

Also Alan Lee Levensgood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Levensgood; Jennifer Burdian Hartman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Hartman; Garry Leroy Ludwig, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel E. Ludwig; Ronald David Boerner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Boerner, and Charles Thomas Traynor Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Traynor.

At Christ Episcopal, the Rev. George A. Lineker, rector, baptized David Allen Leh, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Leh, at noon yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Nottle presented the flowers at Trinity Reformed yesterday in memory of loved ones.

Wayne Mest will be host to fellow-consistors of Zion's Reformed at a supper meeting in his home at 6:30 o'clock tonight.

Mrs. Edward S. Horn was in charge of the nursery at St. James Lutheran yesterday morning. Flowers in the church were given by Ezra Yarger in memory of his wife, and by the Women's guild.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Vandervelde presented the flowers at First Brethren yesterday in loving memory of their parents.

The Rev. Ralph R. Frey, First Brethren pastor, reported at evening worship there last night on the recent district meeting he attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Rev. Frey Robert Fox will be hosts to the Baltzell EUB Beacon Bible class at their home on Thursday night.

Perfect attendance at Trinity Evangelical Sunday school for the past three months has been achieved by William Hertzog, Charles Frymoyer, Albert Shadler, William Schoenly, Clinton Fry, Mrs. Herbert Rossler, Judith Feight, LaRue Frymoyer, Burton Beck, Lewis Zern, William Feight,

meeting at home of Mrs. Arthur H. Simpson, 1:30 p. m.; choir rehearsal, 7:30 p. m.; Saturday, Brownie Troop 23, 1:30 p. m.

Trinity Evangelical Congregational, the Rev. Donald T. Floyd, pastor, Wednesday, junior and intermediate choirs, 6:30 p. m.; prayer meeting, 7:45 p. m.; Thursday, catechetical class, 6:30 p. m.

Jehovah's Witnesses, Kingdom Hall, 137 High street, tomorrow, evening Bible study hour on topic "Hosea," 7:30 p. m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 254 High street, Wednesday, evening meeting with selections from the Bible and from "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, testimonies of healing, 6 p. m.

Holiness Christian, the Rev. Berwyn H. Hainley, pastor, Wednesday, prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.

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## OBITUARIES

Funeral services for **GEORGE BATSAKAS**, 138 HIGH STREET, were held Saturday morning from the Fleischmann Funeral home, 726 High street.

The Rev. George Aloupis, of Reading, officiated. Further services were held in Holy Trinity Russian Orthodox church. The Rev. Jonah Milasevich, pastor, assisted at the church service. Interment was in Mount Zion cemetery.

Funeral services for **DOROTHY A. PETERSON**, wife of Chester W. Peterson, ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., were held Saturday afternoon from the Fleischmann Funeral home, 726 High street. The Rev. Edward S. Horn, pastor of St. James Lutheran church, officiated. Burial was in Edgewood cemetery.

Services for **MARTHA B. (SHINN) FOLEY**, wife of Walter E. Foley, 907 NORTH CHARLOTTE STREET, were held on Saturday at 2 p. m. at the Harley funeral home, 404 High street.

The Rev. Laurence T. Beers, pastor of First Baptist church, officiated. Private interment was made in Highland Memorial park.

Bearers were William A. Schutz, John Gilbert, LeRoy Moyer, John Supplee, A. D. Barndt and Francis C. Llewellyn.

Services for **JAY ELLIS HOY**, son of John C. and Fay Winifred (Ellis) Hoy, 36 EAST MAIN STREET, SOUTH POTTSTOWN, were conducted from the White Memorial home, Parkerford, at 2 p. m. Saturday.

Officiating was the Rev. George F. Eichorn, pastor of St. John's Lutheran church, South Pottstown. Interment was in Mt. Zion cemetery.

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Seventy-five persons viewed "The Hinterland" a film of missionary work in Liberia, at Christ Episcopal church last night.

Sponsored by the young people's fellowship, the film was attended by adults of Christ church and visitors from St. Peter's Episcopal church, Phoenixville.

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## Pottstown's Church Calendar

**EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN** Baltzell, the Rev. John L. Smoker, pastor. Today, church council, 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school council, 8:30 p. m.; tomorrow, Boy Scouts, 7 p. m.; Wednesday, weekday Bible school, 2:45 p. m.; catechetical class, 3:30 p. m.; midweek service, 7:30 p. m.; Thursday, Girl Scouts, 7 p. m.; Beacon Bible class meeting at home of Robert Fox, 8 p. m.; Friday, junior choir, 4 p. m.; senior choir, 7:30 p. m.; Saturday, Brownies, 10:30 a. m.; Gleaners class family party and wienner roast on parsonage lawn, 7:30 p. m.

**BAPTIST** First, the Rev. Laurence T. Beers, pastor. Today, trustees' meeting in church office, 7 p. m.; Gnosis class, 7:30 p. m.; Hallowe'en party at home of Mrs. Florence Hildebrand, 8:30 p. m.; tomorrow, Brownie Scouts, 6:45 p. m.; Wednesday, youth choir rehearsal, 4 p. m.; covered dish supper sponsored by Missionary society, 6:30 p. m.; devotional service after supper, with message by Mrs. Irene Lovett, Baptist institute field representative, 7:30 p. m.; senior choir rehearsal, 8:45 p. m.; Friday, Christian education board meeting in church office, 8 p. m.

**LUTHERAN** Emmanuel, the Rev. Dr. Luther A. Krouse, pastor. Today, Brownie Troop 29, 4 p. m.; Ladies Bible class annual banquet, 6:30 p. m.; Boy Scout Troop 8, 7 p. m.; church council, 8 p. m.; tomorrow, Brownie Troop 7, 4 p. m.; leadership training school, 7:30 p. m.; Wednesday, sewing by mothers class and Mite society, 9 a. m.; Mite society covered dish luncheon, business session and program, 12:30 p. m.; Brownie Troop 11, 4 p. m.; chapel choir rehearsal, 6 p. m.; intermediate and senior Girl Scouts, 7 p. m.; Thursday, carol choir rehearsal, 4 p. m.; senior choir rehearsal, 8 p. m.; Boy Scout Troop 8 committee meeting, 8 p. m.

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Friday, junior girls and descendant choir rehearsal, 4 p. m.; junior boys choir rehearsal, 4:45 p. m.

**Grace, the Rev. Edgar S. Brown Jr., pastor. Tomorrow, chapel choir, 3:30 p. m.; Wednesday, weekday parish school, Grades 3, 4, 5 and 6, 2:45 p. m.; age four through Second grade, 4 p. m.; junior choir, 4 p. m.; Ladies Bible class meeting, 8 p. m.; Thursday, Sunday school board meeting, 7 p. m.; vestry meeting, 8 p. m.; Saturday, par-catechetical and junior catechetical classes, 9 a. m.; senior catechetical class, 10 a. m.**

**St. James, the Rev. Edward S. Horn, pastor. Today, Brownies, 3:45 p. m.; Boy Scouts, 7 p. m.; tomorrow, Women's Missionary society, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, pre-catechetical class, 4 p. m.; catechetical class, 6:30 p. m.; church council, 8 p. m.; Thursday, chancel choir rehearsal, 6 p. m.; junior choir rehearsal, 10 a. m.**

**St. John's, South Pottstown, the Rev. George F. Eichorn, pastor. Today, senior confirmation class, 6:30 p. m.; intermediate-senior Luther league meeting, 7:30 p. m.; tomorrow, leadership training school at Emmanuel, led by the Rev. Eichorn, 7:30 p. m.; boys club meeting, 8 p. m.; Wednesday, junior confirmation class, 3:45 p. m.; annual stewardship dinner, 6:30 p. m.; Thursday, chapel choir rehearsal, 6:45 p. m.; junior choir rehearsal, 7 p. m.; senior choir rehearsal, 8 p. m.; Friday, junior Luther league Hallowe'en party, 7 p. m.; Saturday, intermediate-senior Luther league hayride from the church, 8 p. m.**

**St. Peter's, Stowe, the Rev. A. S. Hanson, pastor. Today, Boy and Girl Scouts, 7:30 p. m.; Wednesday, weekday church school, 1 p. m. and 2 p. m.; Thursday, Cub pack, 7:30 p. m.; senior choir rehearsal, 8 p. m.; Friday, junior choir, 4 p. m.; Saturday, catechetical classes, 10 a. m. and 11 a. m.**



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Few things are impossible to dilige and skill.—Samuel Johnson.

Be Sure to Vote

TOMORROW is your opportunity to decide what kind of local government you want. Tomorrow is election day. It is your duty to vote.

Political parties here in Pottstown have been making it appear that this is a "quiet" election. Not a single candidate has come forward with constructive suggestions for improvement in Pottstown. Not a single political speech has been made.

Why is this a "quiet" election, when Pottstown is voting on what type of government it will want for the next few years? Pottstown is voting for a burgess, ten councilmen and three school directors.

It is a tremendously important election! So don't allow the dormant political parties to fool you.

Pottstown's place in the sun may be decided by the men you elect tomorrow. Your choices may decide the majorities in borough council and the school board, so your keen interest is desired.

Why have the two political parties, Republican and Democratic, made this a "quiet" election? Why haven't they unveiled their candidates to talk to the voters?

Is it because they want the machines to win?

You can frustrate this by studying the candidates, their records, their characters, their abilities to be of service to the community.

Their names have been publicized well in The Mercury. The records of some of the candidates seeking re-election have been scrutinized thoroughly. The Mercury repeatedly has pointed out which officeholders have been for progress, which have retarded the growth and the efficiency of the community.

Look over the candidates. Without regard for race, creed, color and religion PICK OUT THE MEN who'll keep Pottstown moving forward, who can't be branded as obstructionists, stand-patters, mouthpieces of leaders whose sole interest is self-interest.

Go to the polls tomorrow. Go early and vote for good planners, for good citizens. Disregard party lines to get rid of the self-seeking politicians who have been obstructing all that's good for Pottstown.

Vote carefully, and be sure to take particular notice of the referendums you will be asked to consider. Vote NO against the referendum to submit the Pennsylvania State Constitution to the voters for revision. Vote NO because it's best to let well enough alone.

It is estimated it would cost three-quarters of a million dollars, yes, \$750,000 to call together 120 delegates to decide if the Constitution should be revised.

It might lead to a graduated State income tax. It might lead to wild re-arrangement of a fine Constitution that has served well.

Vote YES on the referendum to allow stricken war veterans to vote. They deserve it. It is a step in the right direction. Possibly soon The Mercury's suggestion might be acted on that other invalids who can't come out to the polls be given the right to vote.

Remember, it's your right as a citizen to cast your ballot. Your right to criticize is limited by whether or not you voted.

Come out to Pottstown's polls early tomorrow and vote for good government, for progressive government.

More Business—Same Profit

DURING the first six months of this year department stores and specialty stores both did more business, measured by dollar volume, than in the same period in 1952, the improvement being three percent and four percent respectively.

It might naturally be expected that this meant a comparable rise in profits. But that was not the case.

The net profits for department stores advanced to 1.3 percent of net sales as compared with .8 percent for the corresponding period a year ago—a gain of a mere one half of one percent. And the net profits of the specialty stores did not change at all.

Here is the answer to those who believe that high prices coupled with big volume naturally mean great profits for retailers. Rises in wages, taxes and other costs have often more than offset the benefits resulting from increased business. Competition, which never was more intense than now, holds profits to an extremely moderate figure.

Reminder

Did you, for one reason or another, decide to hold up your United Fund contribution until the last minute? Well, the last minute has come. And your gift is needed, really needed.

Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS, November 1.  
Editor, The Mercury,  
Dear Sir 'n' Brother:  
Wal, I see by The Mercury where tomorrow is election day. I hope all my constituents have copied the name off the tombstone so we really can run up a good vote!

Debating is a lost art, says a college professor. Not any more—at least, not since the Charlie Dressen-Brooklyn Dodger controversy!

And say: There's a gold strike in Quebec! Only this time the mines are shutting down and not opening up! Hopin' you air the same, GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

READERS SAY:

Swoosh Away Trouble; Anti-Vandal Method

Swoosh Goes Trouble

To the Editor: I think that the average American is missing the boat when it comes to solving the problem of vandalism.

The biggest and most obvious way of ending vandalism is to educate the people. The means of educating these ignorant citizens (Pottstown residents especially.) is through television.

Think of the millions of dollars spent yearly to advertise an asinine item like deodorant. Swoosh! Your social troubles are gone!

How easy it would be to take just a few of those millions and put an educational program on each day that would mean, "swoosh," your vandalism troubles are gone.

The program I have in mind would remind the youngsters of their responsibility to their community, to their neighbors and the necessity of taking a mature outlook on things that are shaping the future. Schools fail to do this!

Of course, these programs shouldn't be the preachy type. The youngster should be made to see the point, without feeling the programs are pointless.

Who would sponsor this program? The ignorant citizens, of course. Surely they aren't that ignorant to ignore the fact that it's going to cost them a lot less in the long run to educate the public than to spend a lot of money finding means to correct the youngsters once they've been corrupted.

Let the citizens form a group to investigate the matter.

Let's swoosh away the vandalism as easily as we can swoosh away our body odors.

Phoenixville QUARTERBACK

Reasons for Vandalism

To the Editor: I believe the reason there are so many vandals running loose is that our labor laws are too stringent and the parents are too lax.

You can't get a job on a full-time basis until you're at least 16 years old. That's when you can file for your social security number.

I can remember not too long ago when youngsters below the age of 16 could work on a full-time basis. It kept them off the street corners and didn't let their minds be exposed to a lot of idle nonsense.

If we're going to have labor laws, why don't we have some laws to make youngsters put their noses to the grindstone?

Why don't we have schools in which youngsters remain right at the school where they can be properly supervised where they are made to do their studying?

They could be put on a strict schedule. They could be made to work certain number of hours each week at the school to help pay the maintenance costs of the school, thus taking some of the burden from the taxpayers.

Too costly, you say? Think of the money expended to repair the damage vandals wreak. Think of the cash put out to finance the rehabilitation of wayward youngsters in juvenile correction institutions.

What would the loving parents do without their children?

What are the children doing in the hands of parents who permit their youngsters to run loose in automobiles, throw missiles through windows of homes, and generally make pests of themselves?

Let's Vote First!

LET'S VOTE FIRST!

It's very obvious to me that parents are incapable of handling their children. I think this country would be a lot of better off if the youth of today were placed in the hands of people who are competent, who would bring them up the way they should be brought up.

Pottstown MODERN-MINDED

Labor As Business

To the Editor: I think the biggest misconception today is that idealism exists in labor unions.

Labor organizations are big business organizations just as management is a big business organization.

Labor is out to get every cent it can from management, just as management is out to get as much as it can in the way of production at the least possible cost (although this doesn't hold so true today as it did 20 years ago).

The worker is only concerned with how much more he can get in his pay envelope, regardless of how it affects business conditions. Idealism went out with guys like John L. Lewis and Samuel Gompers.

Stowe PRO NOTHING

Fix It Up!

To the Editor: That fire alarm may make like a sickly calf no less than 12 times in a short time, but it's not doing me any good! Why can't they fix that fouled up alarm? I have a horrible aversion to fires and every time I hear that alarm below, I'm ready to run and hide.

Pottstown NERVOUS

INTERPRETIVE

Big Three Will Police Small Nations Family

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—Somebody in the Eisenhower Administration, possibly like himself but probably the more experienced John Foster Dulles, seems to have remembered that World Wars I and II were precipitated by insignificant issues involving such relatively small nations as Serbia, Poland, Czechoslovakia and Manchuria.

Korea is the most recent and grimmest evidence that global wars grow from small and neglected trouble spots, where a local infection over boundary differences, border clashes, and aroused national pride easily become a worldwide plague. Our only other overseas conflict in modern times, the 1898 brush with Spain, concerned Cuba.

In recognition of this fact, Washington, London and Paris—the so-called "Big Three"—powers—have revised, quietly but effectively, their predecessors' policy toward small nations in the Far East, the Middle East, North Africa and South America.

Whereas Roosevelt and Truman encouraged and abetted independence movements and United Nations protests against "imperialism," and "colonialism," forcing grants of freedom to India, Indonesia, Israel, Egypt, Korea and the Philippines, the new postwar, tripartite alliance of Eisenhower, Churchill and Laniel are exercising a restraining influence on these sources of unrest and possible wars.

The Voice of Broadway

By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

Miss Midnight's Notebook

Deborah Kerr's agents have received 23 movie offers for her since the rave reviews on her brilliant performance in "Tea and Sympathy." . . . Bing Crosby is so happy over the public's reaction to "Little Boy Lost" he's considering making a sequel to it. The big IF: If he can find writers to dream up "a great story" showing how the father played by Bing and the little boy played by Christian Fourcade adjust themselves to each other and to their life in the United States . . . Stewart Granger and Jean Simmons would like to do a Lili Palmer-Rex Harrison on the Broadway stage if they could find an enticing script . . . Dinah Shore had to turn down \$30,000 a week from a Las Vegas night club because her TV sponsors threw up their hands at the notion of Their Little Girl being associated with roulette wheels and dice tables . . . Judy Holliday and child will arrive in New York simultaneously with Peter Lawford and manager.

THE STARS AROUND US: Julius La Rosa smothered in bobby-soxers

on West 50th street. (By now, Julie must admit Godfrey was right about one thing: No personal press agent necessary!) . . . Greer Garson, in simple white blouse and dark skirt, lunching with her mother in the Plaza dining room—completely stealing the scene from all the elaborately outfitted belles in their latest millinery and sables . . . Arlene Dahl, who could tell Ogden Nash a thing or three about Lamas (the one "L" kind) breezing through the revolving door at Pavillon.

Movie menace Jack Palance earning stares from waiters as well as customers at the Pen & Pencil. After finishing the conventional sirloin, washed down with the proper red wine, this rugged individualist topped off his meal by ordering a raw egg, piercing the shell with a fork, and sipping the uncooked yolk as if he enjoyed it! . . . Phyllis Hill, at the Stork Club curb, wearing a stalk of orchids tinted blue to match her convertible.

BROADWAY GUESSING GAME: One of the nation's most publicized baseball stars still owes a tab to a—Third avenue saloon where he did his training—breaking . . . A famed actor-director caused the big stir at Bob Soir in Greenwich Village the other early morning. He made his entrance stag, stoned, and absolutely impossible.

The Worry Clinic

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

PAUL A. is a prominent professional man in Cleveland.

"Dr. Crane, I live in a ritzy residential area of this fine city," he began.

"And I relish your daily articles in our Cleveland News. Your Compliment club idea is a dandy.

"But can a man be expected to pay his wife compliments on an empty stomach?"

"Some time ago I noticed a statement by Mrs. Roosevelt for modern wives to the effect that 'You can hold your husband by the stomach.'

"Dr. Crane, do you agree with Mrs. Roosevelt? I doubt if 10 percent of the wives in my suburb ever get up in the morning to send their husbands away to business with a good breakfast and a smile.

"Such a lazy wife I personally would call a parasite."

TWO BASIC hunger-brother husbands and will make them very snarlish if they are not satisfied therein.

The first is gastric or stomach hunger. But in luxurious America this is not as great a cause for domestic friction, quarrels and even divorce as erotic (sexual) starvation.

Mrs. Roosevelt's statement may be quite true about Africa and India and China and even Europe, where millions don't receive enough food.

But you will find few American men suing their wives for divorce because they have had to take up extra notches in their belts due to lack of calories at the dinner table.

And many fat husbands are the very ones who fill the front rows at the burlesque shows or the Follies and other sexy night clubs.

"THE QUICKEST road to a man's heart," ran an old adage, "is via his stomach."

But in bountiful America we psychologists are telling you to get up-to-date and buy a new marital "road map."

For that old-fashioned stomach highway is not adequate. It isn't in the kitchen or dining room where American marriages go on the rocks.

It's in the bedroom where most of our current divorces start!

And those broken marriages develop among well-fed husbands and wives, and not skinny, starving folks.

So smart wives will keep filling their husbands' stomachs with tasty meals, but they will not stop there.

In fact, the American male will prefer a siren in the bedroom to a talented cook in the kitchen.

In Retrospect 50 Years Ago

Nov. 2, 1903

SMALL GAME SEASON—The small game hunting season opened. Among the successful gunners were the following: Sam Fryer, Mark Yerger, George Sassaman, Lewis Dyer, Mike Scheiffel, John Sheeler, Al McAfee, Robert Boyer, Howard Brownback, Punch Moser, Henry Keck, Henry Moyer, Horace Frederick, Eli Root, John Gilbert, John A. Weber, Samuel Wismer, Fred Sticker and Ollie Dellicker.

NURSES GRADUATE—The Pottstown hospital training school graduated two nurses: Sarah Blum, Pottstown, and Virginia Wimer, of Quarryville, Lancaster county. Mrs. Livingston Saylor presided. The Rev. Erwin B. Kurtz conducted devotions. Sue Richards was heard in vocal solos. Addresses were made by Dr. William H. Ford and Dr. John Todd.

25 Years Ago

Nov. 2, 1928

GUNNING MISHAP—Charles Mauer, Boyertown, was the first accident victim of the small game gunning season. He was peppered with shot from the accidentally discharged shotgun of a companion. He was not seriously wounded.

10 Years Ago

Nov. 2, 1943

GI WOUNDED—Sgt. Raymond Strobl, son of William Strobl, 511 Hanover street, was wounded in action in the North African war zone.

CHILDREN RESCUED—Two small children were carried to safety from a smoke filled apartment at 438 Buttonwood street by their mother, Mrs. Jane Miller. The children, Barbara, 4, and Eugene, 3, were affected by smoke but soon recovered. Mrs. Mary Thomas also escaped from the apartment. Boys at play are blamed for the fire which caused about \$500 damage.

RESOLUTION FOR TOMORROW



(See Today's Editorial: "Be Sure to Vote")

Hollywood

By DON HOPE

(While Miss Gwynn is on vacation, her column is being conducted by Don Hope.)

HOLLYWOOD, Nov. 1 — Jess Barker is the second semi-celebrity to seek the aid of the California Children's court in an attempt to bring about reconciliation with a wife who wants a divorce.

First was Bert Friedlob, producer-husband of Eleanor Parker. Now Barker hopes Susan Hayward, who has already filed for divorce, will change her mind after the court conciliator brings her together with him for a "long talk."

Barker is obviously sincere in his attempts to get back home. He's been out of sight since the separation from Susan—and very depressed. Nobody doubts he really wants to make up. But what Miss Hayward desires is another thing. I will be surprised, but, of course, has his office in or anyone else is able to change her mind about going through with her suit to end their nine-year marriage.

IT WON'T BE much of a Christmas celebration either way—for the Hayward-Barker family. At holiday time, Susan will be co-starring with Gary Cooper in "Garden of Evil"—and they'll be on location shooting in Mexico. Barker, whose career in both pictures and television has taken an upswing in recent months, has commitments that, unless schedules are drastically changed, would keep him far from his wife even if they get together.

IF CERTAIN unpublished "facts" come to life, Marilyn Monroe will have competition as a "calendar girl." There's another young blonde, presently doing okay in films, who also posed in her birthday suit a few years ago (for various, accredited commercial artists)—when things were tough. The girl is Sherree North, now playing a featured role in "Living It Up," the Dean Martin-Jerry Lewis picture. Not so long ago, Sherree was a chorus girl at the Greek theater in Hollywood. Then came months of almost no work. Then she went to Broadway; became a big hit in a small, showy part in the musical, "Hazel Flagg." She was brought to Hollywood when the "Flagg" show closed. And here's the kicker: "Living It Up" is the re-written version of "Hazel Flagg!"

How's Your Mind?

THE ANSWER, QUICK!

1. What other animals besides bears hibernate in winter?

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FOLKS OF FAME—GUESS THE NAME

1. He is a one time farmer and banker, and now is governor of his State. Born in Sherbrooke, N. D., July 9, 1891, he attended college, then managed a farm, and next became a banker. He served in his State's Senate, becoming president pro tem, then majority floor leader. He has been Governor of North Dakota since 1951. He lives at Mayfield but, of course, has his office in the State capital—Bismarck.

2. This industrialist and philanthropist was born near Durham, N. C., on Dec. 23, 1856. Shortly after the Civil War, he and his brother helped their father put up packaged leaf tobacco which they sold on the road in the State. In 1881 the firm of which he became a member three years later, began the manufacture of cigars by hand, and shortly turned them out by machine. The firm opened a branch factory in New York. He died in New York—city on Oct. 10, 1952. (Names at bottom of column)

IT HAPPENED TODAY

1734—Daniel Boone, frontiersman, explorer, trapper, Indian fighter, born. 1795—Birth day of James Knox, 11th President of the United States.

WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE

ANTHOLOGY—(an-THOL-o-gy) noun; a collection of flowers, beautiful passage of literature.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Harlowe Shapley, noted astronomer; James Dunn, actor; Johnny Vander Meer, former baseball pitcher, and Dick Sleser, of baseball game, should be celebrating their birthdays today.

HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?

1. The dormouse, badger, bat and hamster, the squirrel and prairie dog are part-time hibernators.

James H. Duke, 1. G. C. Norman Brundage, 2.

How to Talk to Press . . . November's the Month . . .

★ ADVICE—Many a layman who isn't used to dealing with newspapers asks about the routine for getting a yarn into the paper, how to deal with newsmen. One of the best and shortest summaries was done up by the National Consumer Finance association in an effort to improve understanding of the press and its functions on the part of businessmen. It's from a booklet, "How to Tell Your Story," and here is the advice, which is pretty sound for all folks:

1) Don't drop in on an editor without making an appointment—it may interfere with a deadline.

2) Never ask that a story be printed or featured as a favor. A newspaperman's job is to distill the news from everything that comes to his attention; he won't like efforts on your part to compromise his judgment.

3) Never ask to see a story before it is run in the paper. If you've handled the news right, there's no need for it. No honest, conscientious reporter will ever knowingly misquote you or distort the facts.

4) When the press calls for information, give it to them. Be absolutely honest and answer all questions promptly and accurately, obviously within the limitations of legitimate trade secrets, company policy, etc.

5) Under no circumstances should you attempt to place news through the paper's advertising department.

6) Once a story has been given to a paper, don't persistently check to learn when it's going to appear. If it's a good story, it will be published; if the editor got better stories that day or if space is tight, then it won't.

★ LUCKY MONTH—Well, look what's here! It's November! Birthstone of this month is the topaz. This stone was named for its chief, ancient source, mysterious, fog-hidden Topazus island, now 1st to navigators. The golden topaz always symbolized cheerfulness and pleasant dreams. The ancients believed it cured insomnia. In the 13th Century, Europeans believed a topaz engraved with a falcon insured favor with the great. November people include famous surgeons, research workers, maritime engineers, mystics and musicians. Will Rogers was born on Nov. 4; Ida Tarbell, novelist, Nov. 5; Marie S. Curie, physicist, Nov. 7. Then there was Robert Louis Stevenson, born Nov. 13, 1850, who "gave" his birthday to an American girl born on Christmas, so she could get birthday presents, too . . .

NOVEMBER'S A great month, because it contains Armistice Day and Thanksgiving Day. But it's also the birthmonth of the great writers, Samuel L. Clemens, who delighted many as Mark Twain, and Louisa May Alcott, who wrote "Little Women." Twain's birthday was Nov. 30, Alcott's, Nov. 29. Love and fidelity are ascribed to wearers of the month's birthstone, the topaz, now often used as a friendship stone. Other famous persons born this month were President James K. Polk (Nov. 2, 1795) and President Warren G. Harding (Nov. 2, 1857). Back in 1917, on Nov. 7, the Russian revolution was proclaimed and Lenin assumed power as head of the government.

★ CONFIRMATION—The item in The Mercury the other morning about the little leech that a Pottstown family found in its water supply proved useful to Mrs. LeRoy Houck, 320 Lincoln avenue, since it served to confirm her account of having found a tiny lizard in the water she was putting into her washing machine. She quickly threw the lizard, which was even smaller than the leech, down the drain and as a result had no way of proving to skeptics that she'd really seen what she'd seen.

YOUR HEALTH

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

STRATEGIC location of the male prostate gland has made it an important factor in man's urinary system.

It is placed next to the bladder and the urethra, the tube that leads from the bladder to the outside; therefore, anything that happens to the prostate is very likely to cause urinary symptoms.

This close relationship is unfortunate in men of middle age, as a slight, growing enlargement of the prostate gland often begins to occur about the age of 50. It naturally brings reaction from the urinary system.

The first symptom of a prostate gland disturbance is frequency of urination. The individual complains of getting up numerous times at night and has disturbing loss of control over his urinary flow.

A physician can usually tell whether the prostate gland is enlarged by doing a simple rectal examination.

Of course, X-rays and special examinations are also made in order to prove that the prostate gland is the offender.

If prostate difficulty is allowed to progress, the urine may accumulate in the bladder, stretching the bladder wall and causing permanent weakness. The urine may also back off into the kidneys, if the condition is allowed to progress, and destroy parts of them.

A small number of the cases may be due to cancer. However, in most instances, the enlargement is of a non-cancerous nature and is due to an overgrowth of glandular and scar tissue.

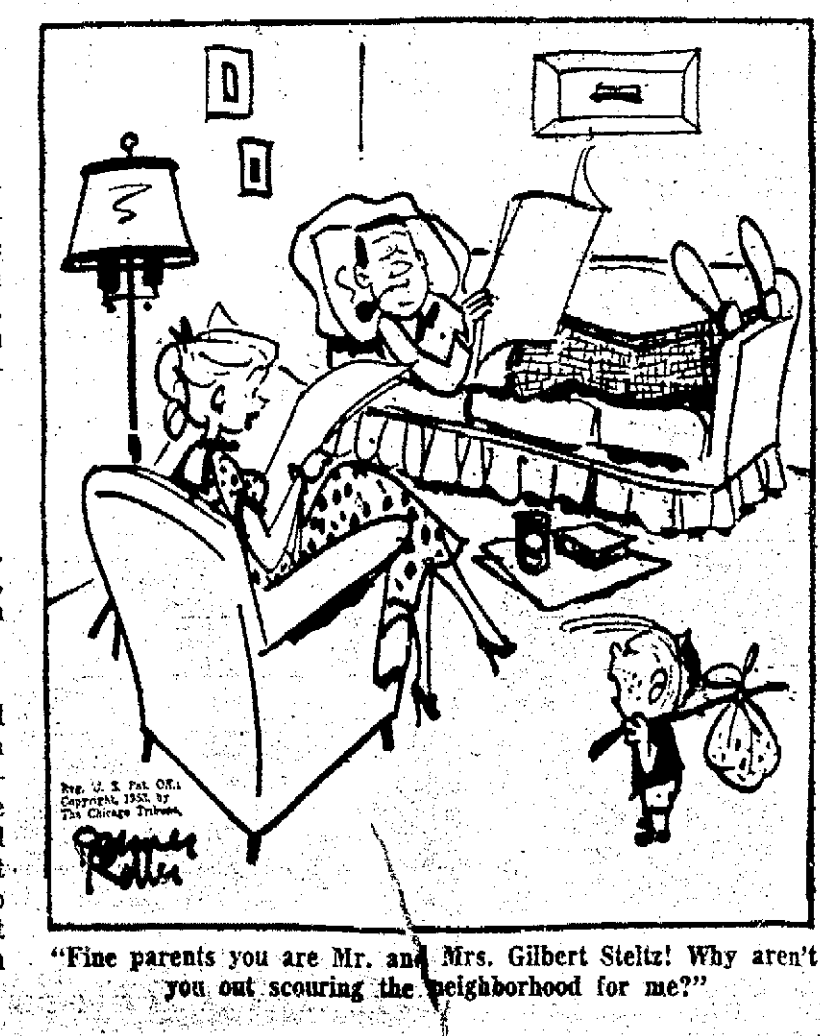
There is no need for a man to suffer from the symptoms of prostate enlargement today. If he is given large doses of the antibiotic drugs to clear up any infection, the operation known as transurethral section usually can be performed with very little risk and most often gives a satisfactory cure.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

R. S.: Is it true that vitamin A helps deafness?

ANSWER: Certain types of deafness tend to improve with vitamin A treatment. These are usually cases of nerve degenerative deafness.

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ment it will want for the next few  
years? Pottstown is voting for a bur-  
gess, ten councilmen and three school  
directors.

It is a tremendously important election!  
So don't allow the dormant political parties  
to fool you.

Pottstown's place in the sun may be de-  
cided by the men you elect tomorrow. Your  
choices may decide the majorities in borough  
council and the school board, so your keen  
interest is desired.

Why have the two political parties, Re-  
publican and Democratic, made this a "quiet"  
election? Why haven't they unveiled their  
candidates to talk to the voters?

Is it because they want the machines to  
win?

You can frustrate this by studying the  
candidates, their records, their charac-  
ters, their abilities to be of service to the  
community.

Their names have been publicized well  
in The Mercury. The records of some of the  
candidates seeking re-election have been  
scrutinized thoroughly. The Mercury re-  
peatedly has pointed out which officeholders  
have been for progress, which have retarded  
the growth and the efficiency of the com-  
munity.

Look over the candidates. Without regard  
for race, creed, color and religion PICK OUT  
THE MEN who'll keep Pottstown moving for-  
ward, who can't be branded as obstruction-  
ists, stand-patters, mouthpieces of leaders  
whose sole interest is self-interest.

Go to the polls tomorrow. Go early and  
vote for good planners, for good citizens.  
Disregard party lines to get rid of the self-  
seeking politicians who have been obstruct-  
ing all that's good for Pottstown.

Vote carefully, and be sure to take  
particular notice of the referendums  
you will be asked to consider. Vote NO  
against the referendum to submit the  
Pennsylvania State Constitution to the  
voters for revision. Vote NO because it's  
best to let well enough alone.

It is estimated it would cost three-  
quarters of a million dollars, yes, \$750,-  
000 to call together 120 delegates to de-  
cide if the Constitution should be revised.  
It might lead to a graduated State in-  
come tax. It might lead to wild re-arrange-  
ment of a fine Constitution that has served  
well.

Vote YES on the referendum to allow  
stricken war veterans to vote. They de-  
serve it. It is a step in the right direc-  
tion. Possibly soon The Mercury's sug-  
gestion might be acted on that other in-  
valids who can't come out to the polls be  
given the right to vote.

Remember, it's your right as a citizen to  
cast your ballot. Your right to criticize is  
limited by whether or not you voted.

Come out to Pottstown's polls early tomor-  
row and vote for good government, for pro-  
gressive government.

## More Business—Same Profit

DURING the first six months of this year  
department stores and specialty stores  
both did more business, measured by dollar  
volume, than in the same period in 1952, the  
improvement being three percent and four  
percent respectively.

It might naturally be expected that this  
meant a comparable rise in profits. But that  
was not the case.

The net profits for department stores ad-  
vanced to 1.3 percent of net sales as com-  
pared with .8 percent for the corresponding  
period a year ago—a gain of a mere one  
half of one percent. And the net profits of  
the specialty stores did not change at all.

Here is the answer to those who believe  
that high prices coupled with big volume  
naturally mean great profits for retailers.  
Rises in wages, taxes and other costs have  
often more than offset the benefits resulting  
from increased business. Competition, which  
never was more intense than now, holds  
profits to an extremely moderate figure.

## Reminder

DID you, for one reason or another, decide  
to hold up your United Fund contribution  
until the last minute? Well, the last minute  
has come. And your gift is needed, really  
needed.

## Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS,  
Editor, The Mercury, November 1.  
Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Wal, I see by The Mercury where tomor-  
row is election day. I hope all my constitu-  
ents have copied the name off the tombstone  
so we really can run up  
a good vote!

Debating is a lost art,  
says a college professor.  
Not any more—at least,  
not since the Charlie  
Dressen-Brooklyn Dodger  
controversy!

And say: There's a  
gold strike in Quebec  
Only this time the mines  
are shutting down and not opening up!  
Hopin' you air the same,  
GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

## READERS SAY:

# Swoosh Away Trouble; Anti-Vandal Method

## Swoosh Goes Trouble

To the Editor: I think that the average  
American is missing the boat when it  
comes to solving the problem of vandal-  
ism.

The biggest and most obvious way of  
ending vandalism is to educate the people.  
The means of educating these  
ignorant citizens (Pottstown residents  
especially) is through television.

Think of the millions of dollars spent  
yearly to advertise an asinine item like  
deodorant. Swoosh! Your social troubles  
are gone!

How easy it would be to take just a  
few of those millions and put an educa-  
tional program on each day that would  
mean, "swoosh," your vandalism trou-  
bles are gone.

The program I have in mind would  
remind the youngsters of their responsi-  
bility to their community, to their  
neighbors and the necessity of taking a  
mature outlook on things that are shap-  
ing the future. Schools fail to do this!

Of course, these programs shouldn't  
be the preachy type. The youngster  
should be made to see the point, without  
feeling the programs are pointless.

Who would sponsor this program?  
The ignorant citizens, of course. Surely  
they aren't that ignorant to ignore the  
fact that it's going to cost them a lot  
less in the long run to educate the public  
than to spend a lot of money finding  
means to correct the youngsters once  
they've been corrupted.

Let the citizens form a group to in-  
vestigate the matter.

Let's swoosh away the vandalism as  
easily as we can swoosh away our body  
odors.

Phoenixville QUARTERBACK

The name and complete address of the author must accompany every contribution but  
on request will not be published. Letters not exceeding 250 words will receive preference.

## Reasons for Vandalism

To the Editor: I believe the reason  
there are so many vandals running loose  
is that our labor laws are too stringent  
and the parents are too lax.

You can't get a job on a full-time  
basis until you're at least 16 years old.  
That's when you can file for your social  
security number.

I can remember not too long ago  
when youngsters below the age of 16  
could work on a full-time basis. It kept  
them off the street corners and didn't  
let their minds be exposed to a lot of idle  
nonsense.

If we're going to have labor laws,  
why don't we have some laws to make  
youngsters put their noses to the grind-  
stone?

Why don't we have schools in which  
youngsters remain right at the school  
where they can be properly supervised  
where they are made to do their study-  
ing?

They could be put on a strict schedule.  
They could be made to work certain  
number of hours each week at the school  
to help pay the maintenance costs of  
the school, thus taking some of the bur-  
den from the taxpayers.

Too costly, you say? Think of the  
money expended to repair the damage  
vandals wreak. Think of the cash put  
out to finance the rehabilitation of way-  
ward youngsters in juvenile correction  
institutions.

What would the loving parents do  
without their children?

What are the children doing in the  
hands of parents who permit their  
youngsters to run loose in automobiles,  
throw missiles through windows of

homes, and generally make pests of  
themselves?

It's very obvious to me that parents  
are incapable of handling their children.  
I think this country would be a lot of  
better off if the youth of today were  
placed in the hands of people who are  
competent, who would bring them up  
the way they should be brought up.

Pottstown MODERN-MINDED

## Labor As Business

To the Editor: I think the biggest mis-  
conception today is that idealism exists  
in labor unions.

Labor organizations are big business  
organizations just as management is a  
big business organization.

Labor is out to get every cent it can  
from management, just as management  
is out to get as much as it can in the  
way of production at the least possible  
cost (although this doesn't hold so true  
today as it did 20 years ago).

The worker is only concerned with  
how much more he can get in his pay  
envelope, regardless of how it affects  
business conditions. Idealism went out  
with guys like John L. Lewis and Samuel  
Gompers.

Stove PRO NOTHING

## Fix It Up!

To the Editor: That fire alarm may  
make like a sickly calf no less than 12  
times in a short time, but it's not doing  
me any good! Why can't they fix that  
fouled up alarm? I have a horrible  
aversion to fires and every time I hear  
that alarm bellow, I'm ready to run and  
hide.

Pottstown NERVOUS

## RESOLUTION FOR TOMORROW

## ALL AROUND THE TOWN

## How to Talk to Press...

## November's the Month...

★ **ADVICE**—Many a layman who isn't  
used to dealing with newspapers asks  
about the routine for getting a yarn into  
the paper, how to deal with newsmen.  
One of the best and shortest summaries  
was done up by the National Consumer  
Finance association in an effort to im-  
prove understanding of the press and its  
functions on the part of businessmen.  
It's from a booklet, "How to Tell Your  
Story," and here is the advice, which is  
pretty sound for all folks:

- 1) Don't drop in on an editor without  
making an appointment—it may in-  
terfere with a deadline.
- 2) Never ask that a story be printed or  
featured as a favor. A newspaper-  
man's job is to distill the news from  
everything that comes to his atten-  
tion; he won't like efforts on your  
part to compromise his judgment.
- 3) Never ask to see a story before it is  
run in the paper. If you've handled  
the news right, there's no need for it.  
No honest, conscientious reporter will  
ever knowingly misquote you or dis-  
tort the facts.
- 4) When the press calls for information,  
give it to them. Be absolutely honest  
and answer all questions promptly  
and accurately, obviously within the  
limitations of legitimate trade se-  
crets, company policy, etc.
- 5) Under no circumstances should you  
attempt to place news through the  
paper's advertising department.
- 6) Once a story has been given to a  
paper, don't persistently check to  
learn when it's going to appear. If  
it's a good story, it will be published;  
if the editor got better stories that day  
or if space is tight, then it won't.

★ **LUCKY MONTH**—Well, look what's  
here! It's November! Birthstone of this  
month is the topaz. This stone was  
named for its chief, ancient source, mys-  
terious, fog-hidden Topazus island, now  
1st to navigators. The golden topaz al-  
ways symbolized cheerfulness and pleas-  
ant dreams. The ancients believed it  
cured insomnia. In the 13th Century,  
Europeans believed a topaz engraved  
with a falcon insured favor with the  
great. November people include fam-  
ous surgeons, research workers, mari-  
time engineers, mystics and musicians.  
Will Rogers was born on Nov. 4; Ida  
Tarbell, novelist, Nov. 5; Marie S. Curie,  
physicist, Nov. 7. Then there was Robert  
Louis Stevenson, born Nov. 13, 1850, who  
"gave" his birthday to an American girl  
born on Christmas, so she could get birth-  
day presents, too...

★ **NOVEMBER'S A great month**,  
because it contains Armistice Day  
and Thanksgiving Day. But it's also  
the birthmonth of the great writers,  
Samuel L. Clemens, who delighted  
many as Mark Twain, and Louisa  
May Alcott, who wrote "Little  
Women." Twain's birthday was Nov.  
30, Alcott's, Nov. 29. Love and fidel-  
ity are ascribed to wearers of the  
month's birthstone, the topaz, now  
often used as a friendship stone. Other  
famous persons born this  
month were President James K.  
Polk (Nov. 2, 1795) and President  
Warren G. Harding (Nov. 2, 1865).  
Back in 1917, on Nov. 7, the Russian  
revolution was proclaimed and Lenin  
assumed power as head of the gov-  
ernment.

★ **CONFIRMATION**—The item in The  
Mercury the other morning about the  
little leech that a Pottstown family found  
in its water supply proved useful to Mrs.  
LeRoy Houck, 320 Lincoln avenue, since  
it served to confirm her account of hav-  
ing found a tiny lizard in the water she  
was putting into her washing machine.  
She quickly threw the lizard, which was  
even smaller than the leech, down the  
drain and as a result had no way of prov-  
ing to skeptics that she'd really seen  
what she'd seen.

## YOUR HEALTH

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

STRATEGIC location of the male  
prostate gland has made it an important  
factor in man's urinary system.

It is placed next to the bladder and  
the urethra, the tube that leads from  
the bladder to the outside; therefore,  
anything that happens to the prostate is  
very likely to cause urinary symptoms.

This close relationship is unfortunate  
in men of middle age, as a slight, grow-  
ing enlargement of the prostate gland  
often begins to occur about the age of 50.  
It naturally brings reaction from the  
urinary system.

The first symptom of a prostate gland  
disturbance is frequency of urination.  
The individual complains of getting up  
numerous times at night and has distur-  
bing loss of control over his urinary  
flow.

A physician can usually tell whether  
the prostate gland is enlarged by doing  
a simple rectal examination.

Of course, X-rays and special exami-  
nations are also made in order to prove  
that the prostate gland is the offender.

If prostate difficulty is allowed to  
progress, the urine may accumulate in  
the bladder, stretching the bladder wall  
and causing permanent weakness. The  
urine may also back off into the kidneys,  
if the condition is allowed to progress,  
and destroy parts of them.

A small number of the cases may be  
due to cancer. However, in most in-  
stances, the enlargement is of a non-  
cancerous nature and is due to an over-  
growth of glandular and scar tissue.

There is no need for a man to suffer  
from the symptoms of prostate enlarge-  
ment today. If he is given large doses of  
the antibiotic drugs to clear up any  
infection, the operation known as trans-  
urethral section usually can be per-  
formed with very little risk and most  
often gives a satisfactory cure.

★ **QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**  
R. S.: Is it true that vitamin A helps  
deafness?  
ANSWER: Certain types of deafness  
tend to improve with vitamin A treat-  
ment. These are usually cases of nerve  
degenerative deafness.

## LET'S VOTE FIRST!



(See Today's Editorial: "Be Sure to Vote")

## Hollywood

By DON HOPE

(While Miss Gwynn is on vacation,  
her column is being conducted by  
Don Hope.)

HOLLYWOOD, Nov. 1 — Jess  
Barker is the second semi-cele-  
brity to seek the aid of the Cal-  
ifornia Children's court in an at-  
tempt to bring about reconciliation

with a wife who  
wants a divorce.  
First was Bert  
Friedlob, pro-  
ducer of the  
band of  
Eleanor Parker.  
Now Barker  
hopes Susan Hay-  
ward, who has  
already filed for  
divorce, will  
change her mind  
after the court  
conciliator brings  
her together with  
him for a 'long  
talk. Barker is  
obviously sincere  
in his attempts to  
get back home.  
He's been out of  
sight since the  
separation from  
Susan—and very  
depressed. No-  
body doubts he  
really wants to  
make up. But  
what Miss Hay-  
ward desires is  
another thing. I  
will be surprised,  
as will most of  
Hollywood, if  
Jess or anyone  
else is able to  
change her mind  
about going through  
with her suit to  
end their nine-  
year marriage.

IT WON'T BE much of a  
Christmas celebration  
either way—for the  
Hayward-Barker  
family. At holiday  
time, Susan will  
be co-starring with  
Gary Cooper in  
"Garden of Evil"—  
and they'll be on  
location shooting  
in Mexico. Barker,  
whose career in  
both pictures and  
television has taken  
an up-swing in  
recent months, has  
commitments that,  
unless schedules  
are drastically  
changed, would  
keep him far from  
his wife even if  
they get together.

IF CERTAIN unpublished "facts"  
come to life, Marilyn Monroe  
will have competition as a "calendar  
girl." There's another  
young blonde, presently  
doing okay in  
films, who also posed  
in her birth-  
day suit a few years  
ago (for various,  
accredited com-  
mercial artists)—  
when things were  
tough. The girl is  
Sheree North, now  
playing a featured  
role in "Living It  
Up." The Dean Mar-  
tin-Jerry Lewis  
picture. Not so long  
ago, Sheree was  
a chorus girl at the  
Greek theater in  
Hollywood. Then  
came months of  
almost no work.  
Then she went to  
Broadway; became  
a big hit in a small,  
showy part in the  
musical, "Hazel  
Flagg." She was  
brought to Holly-  
wood when the  
"Flagg" show closed.  
And here's the  
kicker: "Living It  
Up" is the re-writ-  
ten version of "Hazel  
Flagg!"

NURSES GRADUATE—The Potts-  
town hospital training school gradu-  
ated two nurses: Sarah Blum, Pottstown,  
and Virginia Wimer, of Quarryville, Lancas-  
ter county. Mrs. Livingston Saylor pre-  
sided. The Rev. Erwin B. Kurtz con-  
ducted devotions. Sue Richards  
was heard in vocal solos. Addresses  
were made by Dr. William H. Ford and  
Dr. John Todd.

25 Years Ago  
Nov. 2, 1928

GUNNING MISHAP—Charles Mau-  
ger, Boyertown, was the first accident  
victim of the small game gunning  
season. He was peppered with shot from  
the accidentally discharged shotgun of  
a companion. He was not seriously  
wounded.

SUCCESSFUL GUNNERS—Jim Reig-  
ner, South Pottstown, shot his first  
rabbit after 40 years of unsuccessful  
gunning. Others who bagged game were  
John E. Snyder, Paul Fisher, Ralph  
Knause, Melvin Guest, John Levensood,  
William Ludy, Mrs. Hannah Wade, John  
Roth, Ralph and John Dyer and Ray-  
mond Moser.

10 Years Ago  
Nov. 2, 1943

GI WOUNDED—Sgt. Raymond Strohl,  
son of William Strohl, 511 Hanover street,  
was wounded in action in the North  
African war zone.

CHILDREN RESCUED—Two small  
children were carried to safety from a  
smoke filled apartment at 438 Button-  
wood street by their mother, Mrs. Jane  
Miller. The children, Barbara, 4, and  
Eugene, 3, were affected by smoke but  
soon recovered. Mrs. Mary Thomas also  
escaped from the apartment. Boys at  
play are blamed for the fire which  
caused about \$500 damage.

## Pottstown Sketches



"Fine parents you are Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Steltz! Why aren't  
you out scouring the neighborhood for me?"

## INTERPRETIVE

## Big Three Will Police Small Nations Family

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—Somebody in  
the Eisenhower Administration, possibly  
like himself but probably the more ex-  
perienced John Foster Dulles, seems to  
have remembered that World Wars I  
and II were precipitated by insignificant  
issues involving such relatively small na-  
tions as Serbia, Poland, Czechoslovakia  
and Manchuria.

Korea is the most recent and grim-  
est evidence that global wars grow  
from small and neglected trouble spots,  
where a local infection over boundary  
differences, border clashes and aroused  
national pride easily become a world-  
wide plague. Our only other overseas  
conflict in modern times, the 1898 brush  
with Spain, concerned Cuba.

In recognition of this fact, Wash-  
ington, London and Paris—the so-  
called "Big Three" powers—have  
revised, quietly but effectively, their  
predecessors' policy toward small  
nations in the Far East, the Middle  
East, North Africa and South  
America.

Whereas Roosevelt and Truman  
encouraged and abetted independence  
movements and United Nations protests  
against "imperialism," and "colonial-  
ism," forcing grants of freedom to India,  
Indonesia, Israel, Egypt, Korea and the  
Philippines, the new postwar, tripartite  
alliance of Eisenhower, Churchill and  
Laniel are exercising a restraining in-  
fluence on these sources of unrest and  
possible wars.

TOUGHER POLICY: The three real-  
istic statesmen see no reason why an-  
cient and historic feuds involving a few  
local tribesmen and ambitious politicians  
should plunge a world population of  
almost three billion people into A-bomb  
and H-bomb suicide.

Indeed, it is the realization of the  
devastation which these weapons can  
cause that lies behind the new attitude.  
For it would be the wealthy and populous  
nations, not the undeveloped areas listed  
above, that would suffer most terribly.

In line with this trend, Secretary  
Dulles or another government  
spokesman has administered rebukes  
to Israel, Syngman Rhee of Korea,  
the Communist-inspired Government  
of Guatemala and to Prime Minister  
Nehru of India. We have apparently  
intervened on Italy's side in the  
Trieste difficulty, even at the risk of  
antagonizing Marshal Tito of Yugo-  
slavia.

We have supported France in her  
disputes with Morocco and Indo-China,  
and backed England in dispatching troops  
and warships to British Guiana. Not in  
years has an American President issued  
so many friendly but firm ultimatums.

CHURCHILL, TRUE PROPHET: In  
addition to the impact of atomic power  
on future conflicts, there is another  
reason for this tougher approach to  
world problems. Many of the newly  
freed countries have not used their in-  
dependence in the manner which the  
world War II crusaders for the "Four  
Freedom"—Roosevelt and Truman—  
had anticipated.

As Churchill frequently tried to point  
out with respect to certain possessions  
of the "Empire," they were not ready  
for such a prompt release from respon-  
sibilities.

"The old man" has been proved a  
true prophet concerning incidents in  
several sections of the globe. The White  
House is not yet convinced that Rhee  
will not wreck all attempts at settlement  
of the Far Eastern situation.

## FLOWERS FOR THE LIVING

for MR. and MRS.  
NORMAN SCHEFFLEY

776 Beech street  
BECAUSE they are  
celebrating their 41st  
wedding anniversary  
today.





## Barium Steel Gives Report of Earnings

The Barium Steel corporation, of which Jacobs Aircraft and Engine company is a subsidiary, reported consolidated net earnings of \$2,762,069 for the nine-month period ended Sept. 30.

This is approximately \$120 per share outstanding, after all charges, including estimated provision for Federal income tax and excess profits tax.

The figures for 1953 are \$585,368 higher than they were for the same nine-month period a year ago.

For the third quarter ended Sept. 30, consolidated net earnings after all charges were \$559,994 or 24 cents per share outstanding. A year ago, the earnings were \$88,976, or 37 cents per share.

Sales for the nine-month period ended Sept. 30 were \$80,033,949. For the similar 1952 period they were \$79,328,619.

## Mission Workers Attend Conference

BALLY—Miss Clara Gehman, secretary of the Bally hotel, is a surgical patient in the Allentown hospital.

John Ebst and daughter Mary, Sarah Gehman, Anna Gehman, George Miller and Henry Yoder attended the 34th annual mission workers at the Doylestown church.

Augustus Letterhouse and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reichert and son, Michael, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kehs and family in Bethlehem.

Mrs. Lena Risser and Eva Rexroth, of Washington, Ill., spent a week with the former's sister, Mrs. Shelly and family.

The eighth annual Pilgrimage to the grave of Mountain Mary will be held on Sunday afternoon, Nov. 15.

## Mrs. Clement Takes Trip to Washington

TRAPPE—Mrs. Donald Yerkes, Cor. Schwanksville 4972, George Clarke Jr. and John E. Hartman Jr., Del. Phone Collegeville 7576.

Mrs. Horace Clement took a trip to Washington, D. C., which included a visit to Mt. Vernon, the Monastery Gardens and the Lincoln Memorial.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Bechtel, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Bechtel and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bechtel were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Walter, of Reading.

Charles W. Sherlock Sr. returned home from Rochester, Minn., where he had been a surgical patient at the Mayo Clinic for three weeks. His daughter, Mrs. O. J. Grenier, who was also there for surgery, is expected to arrive home.

Seaman Harry E. Ryder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Ryder, of Trappe road, celebrated his 21st birthday in Guam recently. Harry entered the Navy on Oct. 3, 1952, and has been in Guam since July of this year.

Mr. and Mrs. William Berkey, formerly of Limerick, have moved into their newly-constructed home on Cherry avenue.

**VISIT**

Pottstown's Popular

## A & P SUPER MARKET

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Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

Thursday and Friday 8:30 A. M. to 9:00 P. M.

Saturday 8:30 A. M. to 6 P. M.

## DEMOS TO BACK —

(Continued From Page One)

made no predictions on the outcome.

POLLS will be open from 7 a. m. to 8 p. m.

Cloudy, mild weather is forecast.

Boden, explaining the pre-election calm, asserted, "The only reason that the campaign this year is as quiet as it has been, is that the Republicans control both the school board and council and their record of accomplishments has been so good, the Democrats cannot find anything to complain about."

"At this late date a combination of New Dealers, Fair Dealers and the Political Action committee, are attempting to campaign on State and National issues. The campaign in Pottstown at this time is strictly a Pottstown affair, good government as economical as it is possible to furnish."

"THE people of Pottstown know what kind of government they've been getting from the Republicans and they will vote tomorrow to continue the Republicans in power both in the school board and the borough."

Paul P. Kohler, Second ward councilman, and co-chairman of the Democratic campaign said, "The leadership of the Democratic party is calling upon the electorate to cast his or her vote."

"The Democratic party feels it is the duty of the electorate after election to apprise the victorious candidates of their views so that the various borough and school officers can, by being constantly reminded of the public needs and wants, so direct their efforts to the general advancement of the community."

Daniel C. Kern, Fifth ward candidate for council, who shares Democratic campaign direction with Kohler, said of election results, "We will know better Wednesday morning."

MRS. Borger, a graduate of Pottstown High school, class of 1934, came to Pottstown from her native Philadelphia at the age of three.

A fine artist, she studied at the Pennsylvania Museum school of Industrial arts, Philadelphia, and currently is taking courses at the Philadelphia Museum of Art.

She has served as a den mother of St. James Lutheran Cub pack and has been a Sunday school teacher of Mercy and Truth Synagog since she was 17 years old.

A mother of two boys, Richard, 11, and Philip, 9, she is a member of the Memorial hospital auxiliary, Century club and the YWCA.

The 36-year-old candidate explained her first political venture, "I requested to be chosen a candidate. I am vitally interested in the education of our children."

The United States has a larger proportion of widows today than in the past because the average length of the life of women has been increasing faster than that of men.

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The figures for 1953 are \$385,368 higher than they were for the same nine-month period a year ago.

For the third quarter ended Sept. 30, consolidated net earnings after all charges were \$559,994 or 24 cents per share outstanding. A year ago, the earnings were \$838,976, or 37 cents per share.

Sales for the nine months ended Sept. 30 were \$80,033,949. For the similar 1952 period they were \$79,328,619.

## DEMOS TO BACK —

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made no predictions on the outcome.

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Cloudy, mild weather is forecast.

Boden, explaining the pre-election calm, asserted, "The only reason that the campaign this year is as quiet as it has been, is that the Republicans control both the school board and council and their record of accomplishments has been so good, the Democrats cannot find anything to complain about."

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Paul P. Kohler, Second ward councilman, and co-chairman of the Democratic campaign said, "The leadership of the Democratic party is calling upon the electorate to cast his or her vote."

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Daniel C. Kern, Fifth ward candidate for council, who shares Democratic campaign direction with Kohler, said of election results, "We will know better Wednesday morning."

MRS. Borger, a graduate of Pottstown High school, class of 1934, came to Pottstown from her native Philadelphia at the age of three.

A fine artist, she studied at the Pennsylvania Museum school of Industrial arts, Philadelphia, and currently is taking courses at the Philadelphia Museum of Art.

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A mother of two boys, Richard, 11, and Philip, 9, she is a member of the Memorial hospital auxiliary, Century club and the YWCA.

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Mrs. Lorence Shioss, proprietor of the Bally hotel, is a surgical patient in the Allentown hospital.

John Ebst and daughter Mary, Sarah Gehman, Anna Gehman, George Miller and Henry Yoder attended the 34th annual mission workers at the Doylestown church.

Augustus Letterhouse and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reichert and son, Michael, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kehs and family in Bethlehem.

Mrs. Lena Risser and Eva Rexroth, of Washington, Ill., spent a week with the former's sister, Mrs. Shelly and family.

The eighth annual Pilgrimage to the grave of Mountain Mary will be held on Sunday afternoon, Nov. 15.

## Mrs. Clement Takes Trip to Washington

TRAPPE—Mrs. Donald Yerkes, Corr. Phone Schwenksville 4972. George Clarke Jr. and John E. Hartman Jr., Del. Phone Collegeville 1516.

Mrs. Horace Clement took a trip to Washington, D. C., which included a visit to Mt. Vernon, the Monastery Gardens and the Lincoln Memorial.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Bechtel, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Bechtel and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bechtel were recent dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Walter, of Reading.

Charles W. Sherlock Sr. returned home from Rochester, Minn., where he had been a surgical patient at the Mayo Clinic for three weeks. His daughter, Mrs. O. J. Grenier, who was also there for surgery, is expected to arrive home.

Seaman Harry E. Ryder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Ryder, of Trappe road, celebrated his 21st birthday in Guam recently. Harry entered the Navy on Oct. 3, 1952, and has been in Guam since July of this year.

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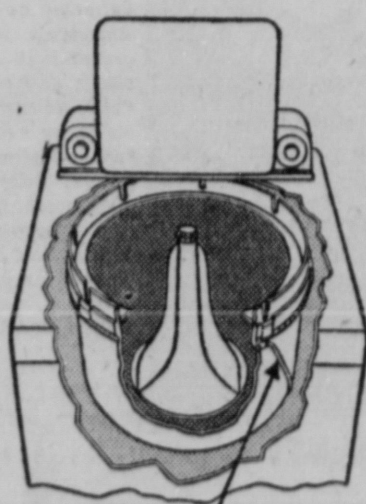
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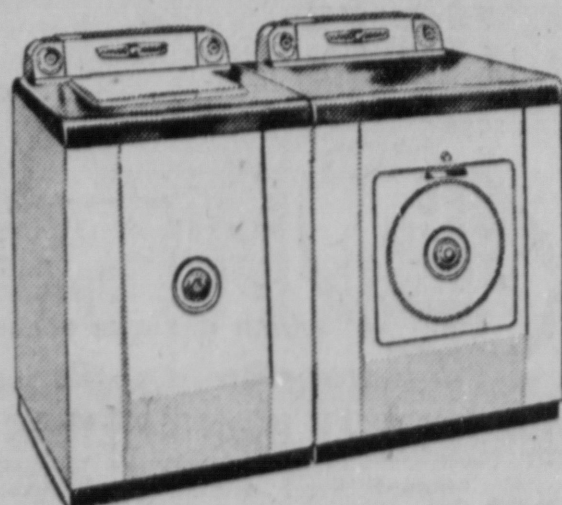
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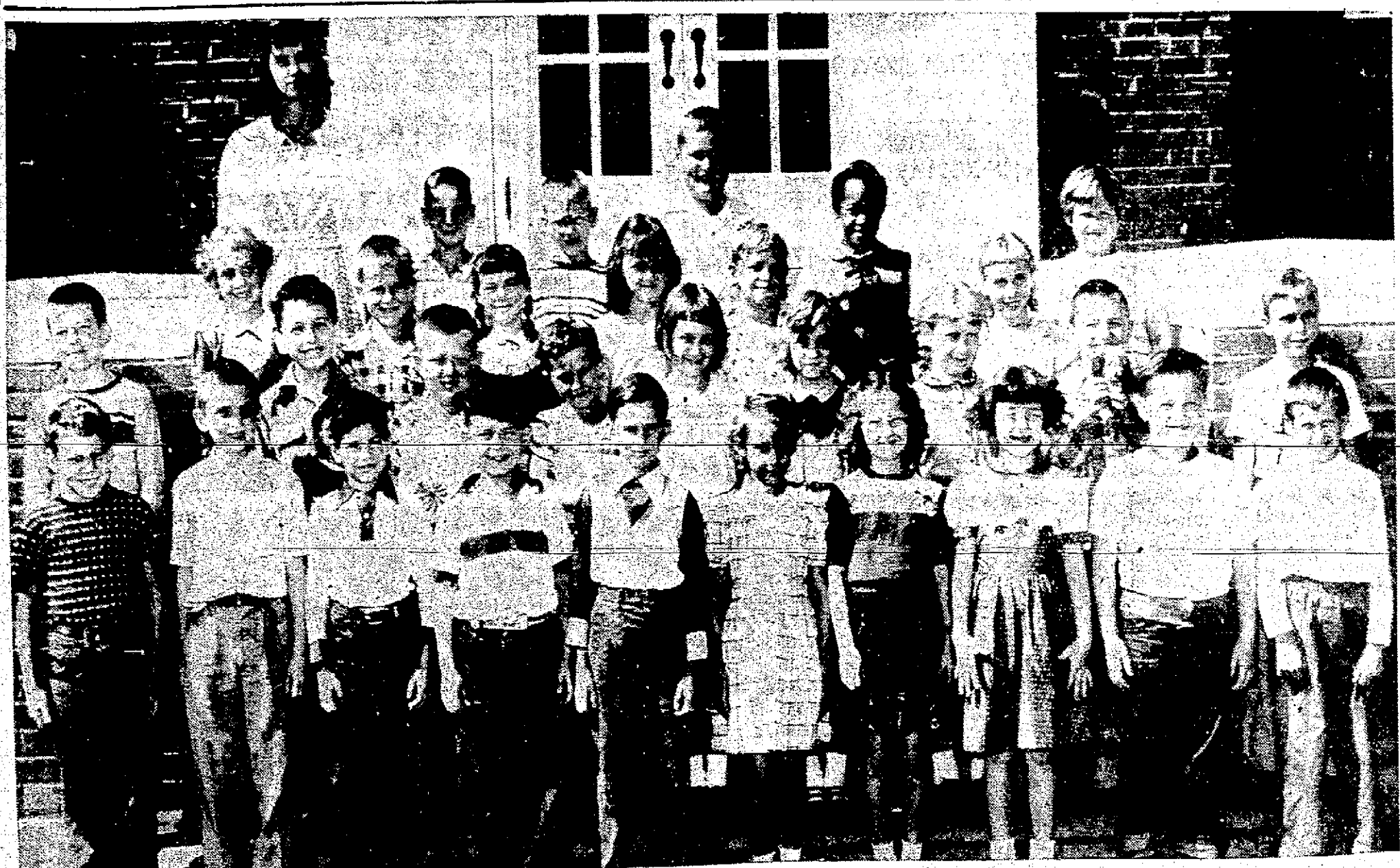
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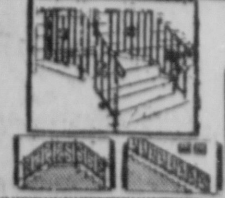
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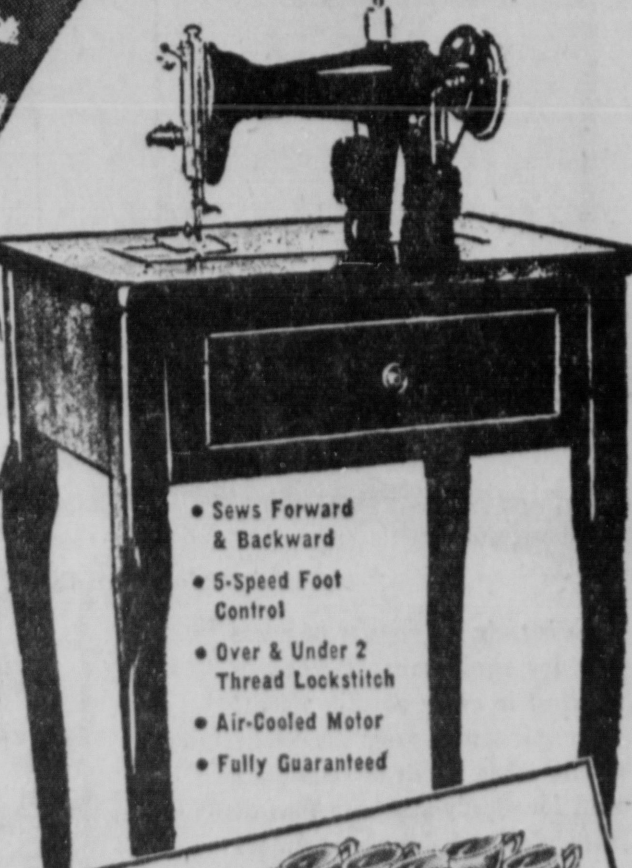
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**Hallowe'en Party Held for Children**

TRAPPE—Mrs. Donald Yerkes, Cor., Phone Schwenksville 4972. George Clarke Jr. and John E. Hartman Jr., Del., Phone Collegeville 7576.

The Hallowe'en party sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Trappe Fire company for the children in the community was attended by costumed characters of every description.

The judges, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hunsworth and Gunnar Rambo Sr., chose the following for prizes: the best-dressed couple in "gingerbread" costumes, Darlene and Marvinne Zollers; the best-dressed couple in crepe paper, Susan Jane and George Lynn Clarke; the most original, a big-game hunter, William Youngblood Jr.; the funniest, Donna Poley in long white underwear.

The entertainment for the evening was provided by a barber-shop quartet, which performed in pantomime with recordings, composed of Dick Franks, Gunnar Rambo Jr., Ed Mathieu and Willard Stevens Jr. The same group presented a skit entitled "Fireman Save My House."

A pie and cake walk provided further entertainment with Jackie Kane winning the pie and Bradley Ziegler the cake. In the teen-age group John Clark, William Young-

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# Carolyn Garner, Richard Peterson Wed in Lutheran Church Ceremony

In a setting of chrysanthemums and palms, Carolyn Jeanne Garner, Douglassville RD 1, became the bride of Richard Lee Peterson, at a ceremony performed in Transfiguration Lutheran church the past Saturday.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Victor Garner, 513 South Hanover street, South Pottstown.

Mr. Peterson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Peterson, Douglassville RD 1.

About 300 guests witnessed the double ring rites which were performed by the Rev. Eugene Umberger.

Before the ceremony Esther Scheffy sang "The Lord's Prayer,"

"I Love You Truly," "O Promise Me" and "Because."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was gown in white Chantilly lace and nylon net over bridal satin. The bodice of lace featured a low rounded neckline trimmed with pearls and sequins.

The bouffant skirt of alternating panels of lace and net extended into a long train. A crown anchored her fingertip veil of illusion. She carried a prayerbook topped with two orchids.

Serving as maid of honor was Gloria Care, Douglassville RD 1. Her gown was of cotton blue net over matching taffeta. The strapless bodice was fashioned with a

side drape and was covered with a stole of matching net.

Flowers of matching blue and rhinestones trimmed the bouffant skirt. She carried a bouquet of white pompons.

Bridesmaids were: Lila Ritchie, Geigertown; Jean Brower, Pottstown Landing; Adella Miller, 352 High street; and Barbara Cressman, 4 River road.

Their gowns of powder blue were styled identical to that of the maid of honor. They carried bouquets of white pompons.

Flower girls were Susan Spohn and Patty Trainer. Their gowns were powder blue and featured low necklines and full skirts. Each

wore a matching bonnet. Freddy Garner, step-brother of the bride, was ring bearer.

Robert Peterson, Douglassville RD 1, was the best man. The wedding was ushered by: Raymone Peterson, Douglassville RD 1; Edward Gible, York street; Richard Seidel, York street; and Bruce Bower, Chestnut street.

A reception in the church social rooms followed the ceremony. Decorations were blue and white streamers.

The mother of the bride was attired in a rose dress accented with black accessories. Mrs. Peterson chose a navy blue frock with black accessories.

Out of town guests attended the wedding from Reading, Ohio and New York.

The newlyweds left on a trip to Michigan where Mr. Peterson will be stationed at Camp Kinross. For going-away, the bride wore a natural cashmere suit with brown accessories and an orchid corsage.

A graduate of North Coventry High school, the bride is employed as a telephone operator. The groom attended Pottstown High school and is now serving with the United States Air Force.



**FIFTY YEARS MARRIED**—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fry Sr., 363 Laurel street, were guests of honor at a party held by their children and family Saturday evening. Formerly of Pottsville, Mr. Fry is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lord. Mr. Fry originally of Pottstown, is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fry, Mr. and Mrs. Fry are the parents of six children and 12 grandchildren.

## Local Couple Celebrate 50 Years of Married Life

Children and family of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fry Sr., 363 Laurel street, helped them to celebrate 50 years of married life at a party Saturday evening.

They were married in Pottsville, hometown of Mrs. Fry, who is the former Florence Lord, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lord.

Mr. Fry, retired railroad worker, is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fry, Pottstown.

Seventy-three-year-old Mr. Fry is a member of the Order of Owls, Nest 1393, and the Fraternal Order of Orioles, Nest, 150, and formerly associated with the American Legion.

Mrs. Fry, 70 years of age, is the mother of six children — three girls and three boys who are: Mrs. Jerry (Kathryn) Rynshaw, Mrs. Herman (Mary) Himes, Florence Saltzer, Arthur B. Fry Jr., William Clinton and Robert L. Fry.

They are the grandparents of 12.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Fry are affiliated with the Emmanuel Lutheran church.

## Carole Staton's Betrothal Revealed at Dinner Party

The engagement of Carole Staton, Norfolk, Va., to Arthur Rapine, 1215 Maple street, was announced yesterday at a dinner party given in the Clairtown Country club, Clairtown.

Miss Staton is the daughter of Mrs. Calarette Staton, Norfolk and the late Mr. Staton.

Mr. Rapine is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rapine Sr., 1215 Maple street.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of the Norfolk High school. She has recently been discharged from the WAVES after serving more than three years.

Mr. Rapine was graduated from the Pottstown High school with the class of 1950 and is now serving with the United States Navy stationed at the Philadelphia Naval hospital.

The wedding is planned for the near future.

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## Record-Breaking Mothers' Conference at Hill School Closes; Affair Is Termed Most Successful by the School Officials

A record-breaking Mothers' conference at The Hill school closed yesterday, following a "most successful" behind the scenes visit.

School officials said the 206 mothers at the conference constituted the best attendance since the program was inaugurated on a biennial basis 15 years ago.

Highlight of the program was a meeting Saturday night in Donner hall. Headmaster Edward T. Hall and other speakers addressed the group, which also included about 70 fathers of Hill school pupils.

Hall discussed a parent's responsibilities to his children, and said that the greatest of these is to trust them.

"You should give your children increasing responsibility, though not necessarily privilege, because the leaders of tomorrow will be those who are accustomed to accepting trust and responsibility," he emphasized.

Hall noted that two other responsibilities of a good parent are to be patient with both child and school, and to anticipate the best, rather than the worst, from a child.

The evening conference followed a busy program in the morning and afternoon.

Mothers arriving in the morning registered in the headmaster's house, where they were welcomed by Mr. Hall and his mother, Mrs. John L. Hall.

Mothers held individual conferences with the masters after the registration. Then came lunch with their sons in the dining room.

A football game between The Hill school and Blair academy was witnessed after lunch (Hill won, 27-20).

Ralph C. Johnson, director of studies, spoke on "college preparation", and emphasized that to

day's students not only have to get good grades in order to enter college, they must meet the competition of many other students seeking the same place.

There are three questions each student considering entering college should ask himself, Johnson said. These are:

1. Why do I want to go?
2. What colleges shall I apply to?
3. What are my chances for admission?

Anthony Codding, a member of the sixth form committee and the student council, discussed the council prefect system and the Hill Christian association.

David H. Mercer, director of physical education, outlined the athletic program for each season. He explained how the school's policy of "athletics for all" applies to every boy during every season of the year.

The mothers accompanied their sons to an evening serv-

ice in the chapel, and yesterday morning attended another chapel service, with the Rev. Merle S. Irwin, Poughkeepsie, officiating.

James V. Moffatt, assistant to the headmaster, said the visitors came from as far away as California, Florida and Texas. About 50 from the Pottstown area attended.

## Square Dance Club Invites Young Adults To Meeting Tonight

All post high school young adults of Pottstown and vicinity are invited to attend a meeting of the Square Dance club tonight at 8:30 o'clock in the YMCA.

The club is sponsored by the Pottstown Recreation commission. Bill Morrell, local caller, will direct this evening's activities.

## Social Calendar

**TODAY**  
20th Century Book Club—meets at 8 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Harry W. Burdan, 276 Diamond street.

Ladies auxiliary of the Knights of Columbus—meets at 8 p. m. in the clubroom.

Gnosis class of the First Baptist church—meets at the home of Florence Hildenbrand, Cedar Hill road, for a Halloween party.

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Women's club of Christ Episcopal church—meets at 8 p. m. in the parish house to hear a book review given by Mrs. Calvin Yoh.

Senior auxiliary of the Pottstown hospital—meets at 1:15 p. m. in the nurses' home.

Golden Age club—meets at 2 p. m. in the YWCA gymnasium.

Square Dance club—meets at 8:30 p. m. in the YMCA.

## Golden Age Club to Hold First Handicraft Period

Alberta Waddell will conduct the first handicraft period for the 1953-54 season at this afternoon's meeting of the Golden Age club.

The club will meet in the YWCA gymnasium from 2 to 4 p. m. Refreshments will be served by the Business and Professional Women's club.

All persons 60 years of age and older are invited to attend and participate in the group singing, cards, other table games, handicrafts and other activities.

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**Local Births**  
A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Snyder, Pottstown RD 3, became the parents of a girl on Saturday in the Pottstown hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kulp, Pottstown RD 1, on Saturday in the Pottstown hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Schoenly, Bally, Star Route, became the parents of a boy yesterday in the Pottstown hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mauger, Pottstown RD 2, a girl was born yesterday in the Pottstown hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Artim, 1016 Rambler avenue, became the parents of a boy on Saturday in the Memorial hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Ploppert, 821 Queen street, a boy was born on Saturday in the Memorial hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Stetler, 811 Logan street, yesterday in the Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Geist, 573 Howard street, Stowe, became the parents of a girl yesterday in the Memorial hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Weiner, yesterday in the Memorial hospital. The Weiners are residents of Pottstown RD 4.

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MARY LOU MCCARTHY—daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. McCarthy, 65 North Hanover street, is shown cutting her cake at the third pre-nuptial shower given in her honor. Looking on, are her bridal attendants. Left to right they are: Dolores Ciotti (foreground), Kay McCarthy, Nancy Sweeney and Jeanne Walker. Groom-to-be is John Crone, son of Mrs. Loretta Crone, 317 Chestnut street. The wedding will be solemnized Saturday in St. Aloysius church.

# WHAT WOMEN ARE DOING

## Third Pre-Nuptial Shower Is Given For Mary McCarthy by Attendants

A third pre-nuptial shower was given for Mary Lou McCarthy by her bridal attendants, Jeanne Walker, Dolores Ciotti, Kay McCarthy and Nancy Sweeney at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Walker, 281 Master street.

Miss McCarthy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. McCarthy, 65 North Hanover street. Each gift, assembled beneath a huge Jack-o'-lantern, was attached by a green streamer extending from the pumpkin.

Favors of tiny pumpkins, filled with candy and topped by an umbrella were given to each guest. Guests attending the shower were: Mrs. Charles Young, Mrs.

Reid McCarthy, Canilia Natoli, Mrs. William Friel, Mrs. William Dwyer, Mrs. Patrick Serba, Mrs. Wilbur Crone. Marjorie Smith, Mary Anne Shahan, Mrs. William Walker, Mrs. Charles McCarthy, Kay McCarthy, Jeanne Walker, Dolores Ciotti, Nancy Sweeney and the honored guest. Miss McCarthy will become the bride of John Crone, son of Mrs. Loretta Crone, Reading, Saturday at St. Aloysius church.

## Eleanor Broski, Collegeville, Is Bride Of Francis Kuterbach in Catholic Rites

Holy Trinity Roman Catholic church was the scene of the marriage of Eleanor Broski, Phoenixville, to Francis Kuterbach, Linfield. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. John Klapp.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Broski, 351 Emmett street, Phoenixville. Mr. Kuterbach is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kuterbach, Linfield.

Yellow and white pompons and palms decorated the church. Music was provided by the children's choir with Sister Augustine presiding at the organ.

The bride approached the altar wearing a gown of white Chantilly lace over satin. The fitted bodice was styled with a high neckline and a standup collar. The long tapered sleeves were pointed over her hands.

A crown of seed pearls and sequins anchored her veil of illusion. An orchid centered her bouquet of white carnations.

The mother of the bride was attired in a black crepe dress trimmed with matching satin. Mrs. Kuterbach chose a navy blue frock.

Maid of honor was Doris Lewandowski, Conshohocken. Her gown of tangerine net over taffeta was styled with a strapless bodice and a matching bolero.

After a honeymoon to an unknown destination, the couple will reside at 351 Emmett street, Phoenixville. For going-away the bride wore a powder blue suit with pink accessories.

Mrs. Kuterbach is employed by the Perkle Manufacturing company, Phoenixville. Mr. Kuterbach is an employee of the Kinsey Distillery, Linfield.

Prizes were awarded by the following judges: Mrs. Max Creswell, Mrs. John Bauer and Mrs. Joyce Leaver.

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## Birthday Congratulations From The Mercury

**TODAY'S HOROSCOPE**  
YOU may have some unexpected upheavals in business during the months ahead, but if you do not allow yourself to be discouraged and avoid hasty decisions and actions, you will triumph and benefit in the end. An active life is vitalized for the child born on this date.

**Today**  
Mrs. J. Arthur Bealer, Box 405, Pottstown RD 1.

Christine Deborah Reed, 198 State street, East Greenville, 4 years old.

William H. Mace, 547 East Howard street, Stowe.

Gary Lee Hobert, New Berlinville, 4 years old.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**



Daniel Frick  
Gary Hobart

John Dewald, 117 Berks street, Stowe.

Violet Endy, daughter of Walter Endy, 217 Berks street, Stowe.

David Perkins, Sumneytown, 3 years old.

Harry Kingston, son of Vivian Kingston, 1A road B, Hilldale, 7 years old.

Kermit D. Slaybaugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Slaybaugh, Layfield road, 7 years old.

John D. Scherer, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Scherer, Scherer Trailer Park, 9 years old.

Walter A. Rayson, Linfield.

John M. Christman, East Greenville RD.

Dolores Birard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Birard, 258 Berks street, Stowe, 17 years old.

Doris Gaugler, daughter of Henry Gaugler, Gilbertsville RD 1.

Ronald Matthews, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Matthews, 226 Walnut street, Stowe, 18 years old.

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Mrs. Luther Graham, 106 King street.

Cynthia Ann Banks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Banks, 62 South Adams street.

Wayne Trollinger, 313 North Evans street.

Wilfred J. Becker, 377 Walnut street.

Laura Strange, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Strange, 308 Diamond street, 16 years old.

Stephen Cushman Jr., 551 Water street.

Andrew Billy, 893 Logan street.

James Benfield, Zeiglersville.

Marie Weller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weller, 306 Berks street, Stowe, 7 years old.

Dorothy Otter, daughter of Mrs. Gladys Eddinger, 316 West Race street, Stowe, 10 years old.

Richard J. Rhoads, Pottstown RD 4, 4 years old.

Arthur Gerhart, Gilbertsville RD 1, 3 years old.

John Kopcho, 878 Queen street.

Allen Koch, son of Mrs. Vera Koch, 50 Fairview street, Stowe, 7 years old.

Shirley Snyder, Pottstown RD 4, 17 years old.

Ruth Ann Wasson, Gilbertsville, 14 years old.

Henry Rise, Spring City RD 1.

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Debby Eschbach, 351 West King street, 3 years old.

Mrs. Luther Graham, 106 King street.

Douglas Gibbs, 123 1/2 Warren street, 12 years old.

Doris Hall, Mill street, Boyertown, 11 years old.

Edward John, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward John 1011 Schuylkill road, 18 years old.

William Erb, New Berlinville.

Charles Meitzler, Boyertown.

Shiela Beury, Boyertown RD 1, 8 years old.

Violet MacIntire, Royersford RD 1.

Calvin J. Cressman, 109 Lindberg avenue, Hanover Heights.

Kenneth Madison Jr., Pottstown RD 4, 14 years old.

John E. Hess, Bechtelsville RD 1.

Marilyn Reed, 21 West Fourth street, 5 years old.

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After a honeymoon to an unknown destination, the couple will reside at 351 Emmett street, Phoenixville. For going-away the bride wore a powder blue suit with pink accessories.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fox, 634 Lincoln avenue are Donna Lee's parents. Phyllis is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fox of the same address.

Halloween decorations predominated and a birthday cake centered the table.

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## Several Republican Candidates Seek To Oust Incumbents in Election

A number of Republican candidates will endeavor to gain office tomorrow in the election in Boyertown which finds several important posts at stake which the Democrats have dominated for many years.

Among these are the top borough office of burgess which finds the Republican choice, Lawrence M. Sands, in an attempt to win the office from the Democrat incumbent, James A. Fritz, a two-term office holder.

In the councilmanic posts, J. Clifford Levensgood and Charles M. Edinger, will be seeking third term Democratic offices also with George Y. Schoenly, Democrat, seeking his first full four year term. Wilson Hillpot is the only Democratic newcomer.

Republican choices for the council posts are Murray A. Crull, who some years ago was a member of council; Russell R. Schaeffer, Isaac Y. Stauffer and Harold Roth completing the slate.

THE tax collector's post should also create great interest with Earl S. Benfield, Republican candidate, opposed by the incumbent Democrat, Paul R. Keyser, who barely defeated Benfield four years ago for the post.

Paul W. Landis, Republican, will be opposed by Augustus D. Gresh, Democrat incumbent for the only school director's post vacant this year. This is a six-year term. The auditor's post finds John R. Moser, Democrat incumbent.

## DEATHS - FUNERALS

Services for JOHN K. KELSCH, husband of Kathryn (Letterhouse) Kelsch, BALLY, were held on Saturday at 8:15 a. m. from the Schwenk funeral home, 124 West Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown.

Solemn Requiem High mass, was celebrated in the Most Blessed Sacrament church, Bally, at 9 a. m. The Rev. Leo J. Letterhouse, rector of St. Philip Neri Catholic church, East Greenville, served as celebrant; the Rev. William Bueser, rector of St. Mary's church, Delphi, served as deacon, and the Rev. Joseph J. Fricker, Reading, served as sub-deacon.

Interment was made in the adjoining cemetery.

Bearers were members of St. Joseph's Beneficial society: Ralph Fronheiser, Lawrence Fronheiser, Harvey Bauman, James Bauer, Howard Bauer and Harvey Moser.

## Boyertown Classified

**Deaths**  
RICHARD—In New Berlinville, on Friday, Oct. 30, 1953, Charles M. husband of Ellen M. (Shaner) Richard, age 59 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from his late residence on Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. Further services in New Hope church. Friends may call on Monday evening 7 to 9. (Schwenk)

**Card of Thanks**  
KELSCH  
We wish to thank relatives, neighbors and friends for the many acts of kindness shown; for sympathy extended and for the beautiful floral tributes at the funeral of John K. Kelsch. The FAMILY.

**Strayed, Lost, Found**  
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being opposed by the Republican candidate, Walter C. Brooke.

The polling places will be open tomorrow from 7 o'clock in the morning until 8 o'clock tomorrow night.

First precinct voters will do their balloting in the Odd Fellows hall, 35 East Philadelphia avenue, while the registered voters of the second precinct will cast their ballots in the showroom of Gottshall Chevrolet, Second and Washington streets.

## CD Officials to Seek Volunteer Spotters at Meeting Tomorrow

Tomorrow night at 8 o'clock officials of the Boyertown Civil Defense program will meet in the Keystone Fire company Rainbow Room, Boyertown in an endeavor to sign up as many volunteer spotters as possible in the Ground Observers corps.

Ralph C. Horn, supervisor of the Boyertown and Oley posts, has invited all persons interested in civil defense, to attend.

Sgt. William Capanaro of the Baltimore Filter center at Baltimore, Md., will be the guest speaker and pictures of bombings will also be shown.

The officials in Washington have informed us that spotting of all planes is needed more now than ever," Horn stated "and if we could reach a goal of 400 spotters, it would mean that each spotter would be required to be on duty only two hours each month and practically every person ought to be able to spare two hours per month in the interest of protecting themselves and their country."

Civil Defense co-ordinator for the area is Boyertown's burgess, James A. Fritz, and chief observer of the Boyertown post is Clifford Altem.

## Meeting Postponed

Henry J. Werster of the Colebrookdale township board of supervisors stated last night that the regular monthly meeting scheduled for tomorrow night has been postponed until next Tuesday night. The meeting will be held in the township building at Gablesville.

Werster added that the postponement was decided on because of Election day.

## ESTATE DISTRIBUTED

Louise M. Rhoads, Boyertown, left a balance of \$764.60 which is to be distributed as follows: Vivian Shollenberger and Betty Evans, \$382.30; H. Leon Breidenbach is the attorney.

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## Several Limit Kills Reported by Hunters In Boyertown Area

Many Boyertown and immediate area hunters took to the fields on Saturday morning but according to reports, found the game pretty scarce and as a result, only a few returned home with their limit or rabbits and pheasants.

Among the sharp shooters who returned home with four rabbits and two pheasants were Stanley Welsh, Daniel Rotherberger, John Dierolf, Leroy Heydt and H. David Fegley.

Other hunters and their kills were as follows: Howard Fegley, four rabbits, one pheasant; Earl Keyser, four rabbits, one pheasant; Howard Reinert, three rabbits, two pheasants; Paul Weidner, two rabbits, two pheasants; Charles Reinert, four rabbits, one pheasant; Henry Reinert, one rabbit.

Stuart H. Rothenberger, one rabbit; one pheasant; Arthur S. Schwenks, two rabbits; Lester H. Rothenberger, three rabbits, one pheasant; Paul Hutt, three rabbits, and two pheasants; William Nestor, one rabbit; Clark W. Good, one pheasant; Leon Frey, two pheasants; Richard Frey, one rabbit.

ALFRED Johnson, four rabbits, one pheasant; Jack Shingle, two rabbits, two pheasants; Bruce Keim, one rabbit, one pheasant; Warren Conrad, one rabbit; William Bower Sr., one rabbit; Warren Gross, four rabbits, one pheasant; Ralph Weinstein, one rabbit; Charles Hefner, one rabbit; Lester Bauer, four rabbits; Chester Bauer, four rabbits, one pheasant; Ardie Lee Sands, one rabbit.

Another area marksman, Harvey Reichert, who is 80 years of age, also joined the throng of hunters and came home with two rabbits.

## Explorer Scouts See Hawks at Sanctuary

The explorer Scouts of Boyertown Boy Scout Troop 3, made a field trip to what is known to them as "Hawk Mountain Sanctuary" near Hamburg, early yesterday morning and returned home early last night.

The sanctuary is known for the passing through of many species of hawks in their migration South and the troop members were fortunate in seeing a number pass through while on their watch. They hoped to see some eagles also but failed to see any.

Following their trip there, the group also visited the Trexler State game farm.

Troop members making the trip were Frederick Saul, George Reifsnnyder, Walter Burkpile, Bruce Updegrave, Leon Houp, Klaus Neubauer and David Gruber, assistant scoutmaster and Robert S. Frain, scoutmaster.

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## Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

MAURICE ZOLOTOW recalls an exciting occasion on which Houdini, the escape artist; Blackstone, the magician; and Dunninger, the mind reader, went to a benefit performance in Dunninger's car. When they came back to the parking lot, Dunninger discovered he had mislaid the car key and couldn't remember where he had left it. Blackstone couldn't get the car door open. And Houdini, who claimed he could get out of any straitjacket or padlocked dungeon, couldn't pick the lock. After bribing the parking attendant to keep his mouth shut, the three meekly rode home in a taxicab.

Outside the New York University registrar's office there was a placard advising: "Now is the time to sign up for a course in accounting for women." A passer-by tugged at the registrar's sleeve and, in a disillusioned voice, announced: "Master, there IS no accounting for women."

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## Masonic Lodge to Mark Its 28th Anniversary

The 28th anniversary of Boyertown Lodge No. 741, Free and Accepted Masons, will be observed on Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock in the American Legion home, Boyertown.

The Rev. J. Paul Kehm, pastor of St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church, Fleetwood, will be the guest speaker.

## Frank Slemmers Visit Hunsbergers at Obelisk

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Slemmers, Mrs. Mae D. Hoffman visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Hunsberger, Obelisk.

Mrs. Florence York, son John, daughter Lizzie Mae, Telford Rd. spent an afternoon with Mrs. Mae D. Hoffman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Oelschlaeger, Salford, spent an evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Slemmers.

James Reed, who was wounded in action in Korea, recently returned to this country and a patient at Valley Forge Army hospital, spent a weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Reed and family.

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**13 PERSONS EXECUTED**  
VIENNA, Austria, Nov. 1 (AP)—Thirteen persons sentenced to death by a Bucharest military court Oct. 12 after being convicted

on charges of espionage and sabotage were executed yesterday, the official Romanian press service, Ager Press, said today.

**FINANCIER DIES**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 1 (AP)—Parker Simmons Maddux, 73, financier and public spirited citizen, died in his sleep last night.

## BUSINESS & INDUSTRY

### New Frigidaire Ends Defrosting

There's no defrosting with the new Cyclamatic Frigidaire, sold by McConnell and Gottshall, Frigidaire sales and service, Kimberton and Pothouse roads, Phone 8180, near Phoenixville.

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### Longacre Store Has Christmas Jewelry

Take a look at that calendar and if you are really smart you'll hurry to the Charles Longacre jewelry store and start doing some of that Christmas shopping.

Mr. Longacre's store at 17 North Hanover street is stocked as never before this year with nationally-advertised merchandise. Nothing finer than the gift of jewelry and you'll get right prices at Longacre's plus quality merchandise.

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You'll surely want to give a gift at Christmas of one of those beautiful imported dolls sold by Edith A. Templin at her Doll Hospital on Route 422, Stowe, opposite Merritt's lumber yards.

Mrs. Templin is famous for her fine collection of domestic and imported dolls for many years and patrons return time and again to make purchases.

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This year Mrs. Templin has doll furs as well as dresses, and they are really elaborate yet inexpensive. Here is something very distinctive for that gift at Christmas to that child who will be made so happy over it.

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# Carolyn Garner, Richard Peterson Wed in Lutheran Church Ceremony

In a setting of chrysanthemums and palms, Carolyn Jeanne Garner, Douglassville RD 1, became the bride of Richard Lee Peterson, at a ceremony performed in Transfiguration Lutheran church the past Saturday.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Victor Garner, 513 South Hanover street, South Pottstown.

Mr. Peterson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Peterson, Douglassville RD 1.

About 300 guests witnessed the double ring rites which were performed by the Rev. Eugene Umberger.

Before the ceremony Esther Scheffy sang "The Lord's Prayer," "I Love You Truly," "O Promise Me" and "Because."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was gowned in white Chantilly lace and nylon net over bridal satin. The bodice of lace featured a low rounded neckline trimmed with pearls and sequins.

The bouffant skirt of alternating panels of lace and net extended into a long train. A crown anchored her fingertip veil of illusion. She carried a prayerbook topped with two orchids.

Serving as maid of honor was Gloria Care, Douglassville RD 1. Her gown was of cotton blue net over matching taffeta. The strapless bodice was fashioned with a side drape and was covered with a stole of matching net.

Flowers of matching blue and rhinestones trimmed the bouffant skirt. She carried a bouquet of white pompons.

Bridesmaids were: Lila Ritchie, Geigertown; Jean Brower, Pottstown Landing; Adella Miller, 332 High street; and Barbara Cressman, 4 River road.

Their gowns of powder blue were styled identical to that of the maid of honor. They carried bouquets of white pompons.

Flower girls were Susan Spohn and Patty Trainer. Their gowns were powder blue and featured low necklines and full skirts. Each wore a matching bonnet. Freddy Garner, step-brother of the bride, was ring bearer.

Robert Peterson, Douglassville RD 1, was the best man. The wedding was ushered by: Raymon Peterson, Douglassville RD 1; Edward Gibbie, York street; Richard Seidel, York street; and Bruce Bower, Chestnut street.

A reception in the church social rooms followed the ceremony. Decorations were blue and white streamers.

The mother of the bride was attired in a rose dress accented with black accessories. Mrs. Peterson chose a navy blue frock with black accessories.

Out of town guests attended the wedding from Reading, Ohio and New York.

The newlyweds left on a trip to Michigan where Mr. Peterson will be stationed at Camp Kinross. For going-away, the bride wore a natural cashmere suit with brown accessories and an orchid corsage.

A graduate of North Coventry High school, the bride is employed as a telephone operator. The groom attended Pottstown High school and is now serving with the United States Air Force.

## Record-Breaking Mothers' Conference at Hill School Closes; Affair Is Termed Most Successful by the School Officials

A record-breaking Mothers' conference at The Hill school closed yesterday, following a "most successful" behind the scenes visit.

School officials said the 206 mothers at the conference constituted the best attendance since the program was inaugurated on a biennial basis 15 years ago.

Highlight of the program was a meeting Saturday night in Donner hall. Headmaster Edward T. Hall and other speakers addressed the group, which also included about 70 fathers of Hill school pupils.

Hall discussed a parent's responsibilities to his children, and said that the greatest of these is to trust them.

"You should give your children increasing responsibility, though not necessarily privilege, because the leaders of tomorrow will be those who are accustomed to accepting trust and responsibility," he emphasized.

Hall noted that two other responsibilities of a good parent are to be patient with both child and school, and to participate the best, rather than the worst, from a child.

The evening conference followed a busy program in the morning and afternoon.

Mothers arriving in the morning registered in the headmaster's house, where they were welcomed by Mr. Hall and his mother, Mrs. John L. Hall.

Mothers held individual conferences with the masters after the registration. Then came lunch with their sons in the dining room.

A football game between The Hill school and Blair academy was witnessed after lunch (Hill won, 27-20).

Ralph C. Johnson, director of studies, spoke on "college preparation", and emphasized that today's students not only have to get good grades in order to enter college, they must meet the competition of many other students seeking the same place.

There are three questions each student considering entering college should ask himself, Johnson said. These are:

1. Why do I want to go?
2. What colleges shall I apply to?
3. What are my chances for admission?

Anthony Coddling, a member of the sixth form committee and the student council, discussed the council prefect system and the Hill Christian association.

David H. Mercer, director of physical education, outlined the athletic program for each season. He explained how the school's policy of "athletics for all" applies to every boy during every season of the year.

The mothers accompanied their sons to an evening service in the chapel, and yesterday morning attended another chapel service, with the Rev. Merle S. Irwin, Poughkeepsie, officiating.

James V. Moffatt, assistant to the headmaster, said the visitors came from as far away as California, Florida and Texas. About 50 from the Pottstown area attended.

## Square Dance Club Invites Young Adults To Meeting Tonight

All post high school young adults of Pottstown and vicinity are invited to attend a meeting of the Square Dance club tonight at 8:30 o'clock in the YMCA.

The club is sponsored by the Pottstown Recreation commission. Bill Morrell, local caller, will direct this evening's activities.

## Social Calendar

**TODAY**  
20th Century Book Club—meets at 8 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Harry W. Burdan, 276 Diamond street.  
Ladies auxiliary of the Knights of Columbus—meets at 8 p. m. in the clubroom.  
Gnosis class of the First Baptist church—meets at the home of Florence Hildenbrand, Cedar Hill road, for a Hallowe'en party.

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**FIFTY YEARS MARRIED**—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fry Sr., 363 Laurel street, were guests of honor at a party held by their children and family Saturday evening. Formerly of Pottsville, Mrs. Fry, is the daughter of late Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lord. Mr. Fry originally of Pottstown, is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fry. Mr. and Mrs. Fry are the parents of six children and 12 grandchildren.

## Local Births

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Snyder, Pottstown RD 3, became the parents of a girl on Saturday in the Pottstown hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kulp, Pottstown RD 1, on Saturday in the Pottstown hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Schoenly, Bally, Star Route, became the parents of a boy yesterday in the Pottstown hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mauger, Pottstown RD 2, a girl was born yesterday in the Pottstown hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Artim, 1016 Rambler avenue, became the parents of a boy on Saturday in the Memorial hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Ploppert, 821 Queen street, a boy was born on Saturday in the Memorial hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Stetler, 811 Logan street, yesterday in the Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Geist, 573 Howard street, Stowe, became the parents of a girl yesterday in the Memorial hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Weiner, yesterday in the Memorial hospital. The Weiners are residents of Pottstown RD 4.

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Mr. Fry, retired railroad worker, is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fry, Pottstown.

Seventy-three-year-old Mr. Fry is a member of the Order of Owls, Nest 1393, and the Fraternal Order of Orioles, Nest, 150, and formerly associated with the American Legion.

Mrs. Fry, 70 years of age, is the mother of six children — three girls and three boys who are: Mrs. Jerry (Kathryn) Rynshaw, Mrs. Herman (Mary) Himes, Florence Saltzer, Arthur B. Fry Jr., William Clinton and Robert L. Fry.

They are the grandparents of 12.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Fry are affiliated with the Emmanuel Lutheran church.

## Carole Staton's Betrothal Revealed at Dinner Party

The engagement of Carole Staton, Norfolk, Va., to Arthur Rapine, 1215 Maple street, was announced yesterday at a dinner party given in the Clairtown Country club, Clairtown.

Miss Staton is the daughter of Mrs. Calarette Staton, Norfolk and the late Mr. Staton.

Mr. Rapine is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rapine Sr., 1215 Maple street.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of the Norfolk High school. She has recently been discharged from the WAVES after serving more than three years.

Mr. Rapine was graduated from the Pottstown High school with the class of 1950 and is now serving with the United States Navy stationed at the Philadelphia Naval hospital.

The wedding is planned for the near future.

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—Mercury Staff Photo

THE TWO winners of the first-place laurels for the Halloween window painting contest held the past week pose beside their painting, with the chairman of the project.

From left are Stanley L. Jones, Optimist club chairman, Diane Sandquist and Gail Minault. See Page 1 for the story.

### THREE ARE SHOT —

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1, also got the limit in four-footers and winged one bird.

Earl Bartman, 72 North York street, who hunted with Garber, brought home four rabbits and two pheasants.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hummel, Walnut street, Stowe, were out and accounted for four birds and three rabbits.

And Roy Endy, Grosstown road, Stowe, shot four rabbits.

Three rabbits and one pheasant were Paul Sell's bag. Sell lives in Boyertown.

Richard Borneman, Terrace lane, snagged two pheasants and one rabbit.

Leon Borneman, Sanatoga, shot two pheasants and one rabbit.

Robert Herrlinger, 961 South Hills boulevard, proved a marksman by bagging four rabbits and two pheasants.

J. Keith Jameson, 15, 70 Manatwiny street, went out with his father, Howard, and showed a lot of skill. Hunting on the farm on Layfield road where he was born, young Keith blasted his first rabbit. Pop saved face by bringing home a pheasant and a rabbit. But for a while there it was close.

Richard Hoyer, Graterford, knocked down one pheasant.

Brothers Leonard and Robert Piersol, Colebrookdale township, really filled the deep freezer; seven rabbits, two birds and one squirrel between them.

Norman Kolp, 307 Spring street, Royersford, shot three rabbits and one pheasant in Upper Providence township.

Merrill Fleming, Walnut street, Royersford, accounted for one pheasant.

Charles Adleman Jr., Green street, Royersford, popped off two pheasants.

Kenneth Kirk, Pottstown RD 4, shot four rabbits and one bird.

But his 17-year-old son, Jimmy, proved more adept at the wing shots; he knocked down two of the ringnecked beauties.

Finland is slightly larger than New Mexico.

### BOROUGH MANAGER —

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Summer cars would throw water up on the sidewalks."

Residents have complained the drop from driveway to street is hard on their cars. Some are putting boards or logs along the street in order to make the grade into their drives.

Gulden said, "What they can do is chip away the concrete down to street level. A number of them already have done this."

### Two Automobiles Collide At Borough Intersection

Two cars collided in a front-end, rear-end collision at King and Charlotte streets Saturday night.

Thomas R. Eidell, 933 Queen street, was traveling west on King street, made a left turn and was struck from the rear by a car operated by Donald H. Manson, 247 Main street, Royersford.

The left front fender of the Eidell car was damaged. There was no damage to the Manson vehicle.

### Shift in Cabinet Posts Announced by Gov. Fine

HARRISBURG, Nov. 1 (AP)—Gov. S. Fine made a double shift in his cabinet on Saturday, naming Frank C. Hilton, Reading, as Secretary of Property and Supplies and transferring Alan D. Reynolds, Pittsburgh, from that post to Secretary of Welfare.

The appointments become effective tomorrow when both Hilton and Reynolds will take over their new posts at the capitol. Both jobs pay \$15,000.

It is estimated that six million tons of water flow into the Dead Sea daily, all of which eventually is removed by evaporation.

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### Stowe Man Injured In Route 422 Crash

A 24-year-old Stowe man was injured early yesterday morning when the car he was driving collided with another car on Route 422 three miles east of Birdsboro.

John Klapotsky, 24, 402 Howard street, Stowe, suffered contusions of the back and was treated at St. Joseph's hospital, Reading.

His passenger, Eleanor Kohl, 25, Reading, was admitted to the hospital with cuts of the skull and bruises of the knee.

The second car was operated by Raymond J. Folk, 48, Temple RD 1, who suffered cuts of the skull and knee and head bruises. He was admitted to the hospital also.

The collision occurred at 4:15 a. m. The Klapotsky car was traveling south on Weavertown road and the Folk car was going west on Route 422.

Damage to both cars amounted to more than \$2000, Reading State police said.

### Area Motorist Blamed In Death of Youth, 15

A coroner's jury in Reading has found a Geigertown RD 1 man responsible in the death of a 15-year-old boy in a driving accident.

Stanley Mock, 61, was the operator of an automobile which struck and killed Daniel I. Sassaman Jr. of Glen Burnie, Md., on Aug. 29. The coroner's jury deliberated 15 minutes, following the testimony of witnesses that Mock was driving a zig-zag course and that he had been drinking some beer.

Dr. Paul D. Good is the coroner.

### NEW COMMANDER NAMED

HARRISBURG, Nov. 1 (AP)—Brig. Gen. A. H. Stackpole, executive editor of the Patriot-News company, will become commander of the 79th infantry division, US Army reserves on Jan. 1.

### OLD BRIDGE —

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side of the Manatwiny at 12:30 o'clock.

Reading State Trooper Harley Smith reported the car was traveling at a high rate of speed. A 60-foot stretch of the wall was damaged.

Wooden pillars and concrete piers of the bridge were damaged.

Highway repairmen worked through the early morning hours to make the bridge passable to traffic.

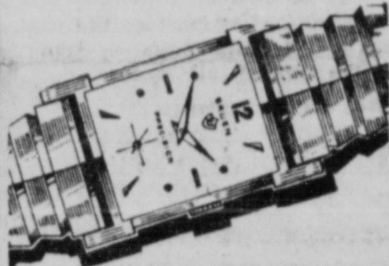
Passengers in the demolished auto were Patricia Haag, 15, Penn Village, and Horace Adams, 21, Coatesville.

The trio was rushed to Memorial hospital by a passing motorist.

Miller suffered cuts of the face and right knee.

Miss Haag suffered a compound fracture of the left index finger and Adams was treated for a cut of the right eyebrow. All were discharged after treatment.

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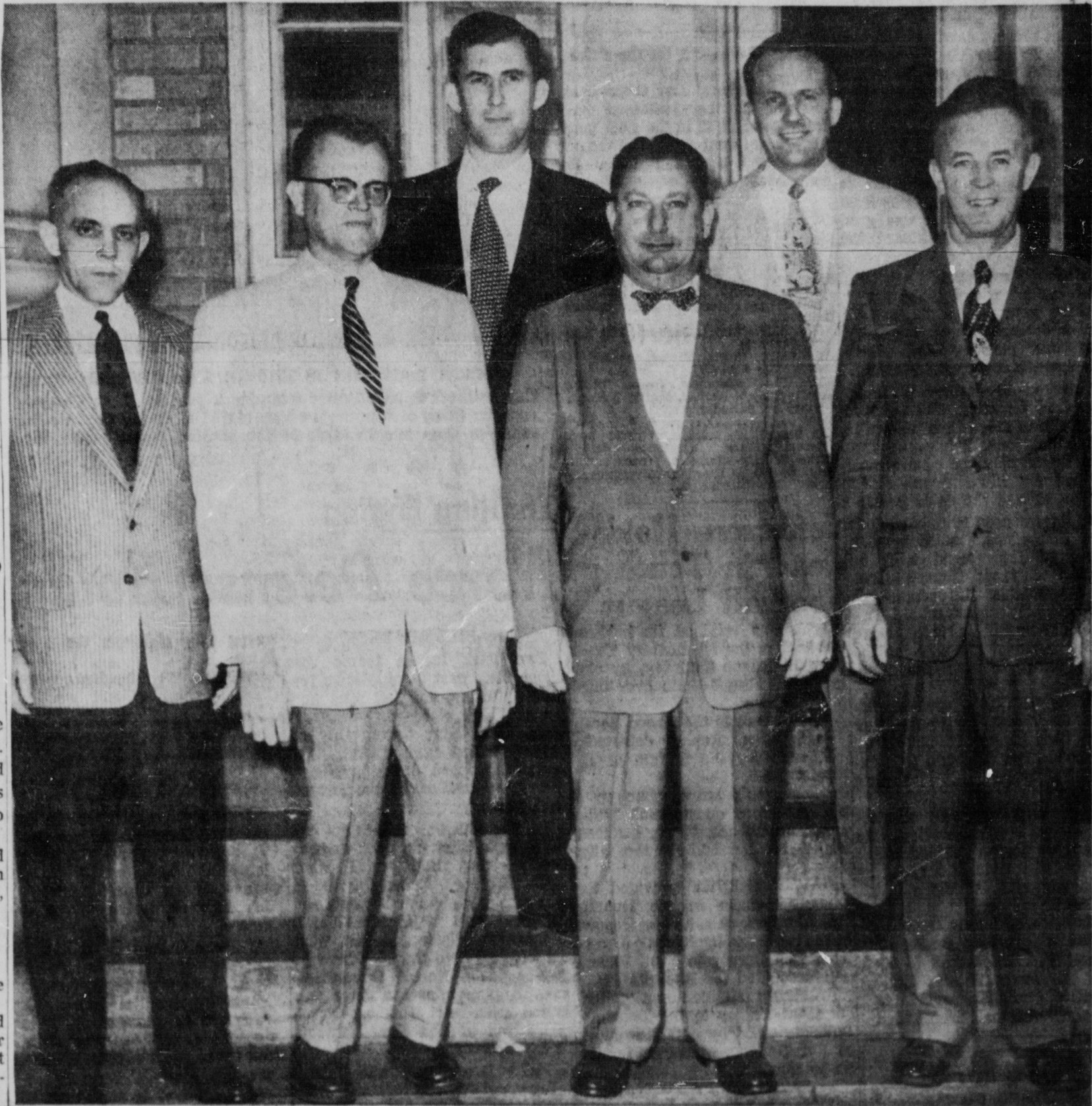
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A LARGE REPUBLICAN VOTE IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY WILL GIVE CONFIDENCE TO THE EISENHOWER ADMINISTRATION

# VOTE FOR GOOD GOVERNMENT



For Burgess — John B. Hartenstine, Jr.

For Tax Collector — Charles S. Grubb

For Auditor — Harold W. Eppehimer

For School Board — Herbert R. Maack

Douglas V. O'Dell

Herbert G. Stauffer

### CANDIDATES FOR TOWN COUNCIL

West Ward — GEORGE E. STROUP

Second Ward — J. ALBERT BAKER

Third Ward — PETER J. LAWLER

Fourth Ward — WALTER E. FIZZ

Fifth Ward — RALPH L. WEIS

Sixth Ward — WILLIAM H. REIFSNYDER

Seventh Ward — J. WAYNE KNAUSE

Eighth Ward — EDW. H. HUNNICUTT

Ninth Ward — JOHN R. HOFFECKER

Tenth Ward — HAROLD J. CASSELBERRY

### REPUBLICAN ACCOMPLISHMENTS

For the purpose of ridding the entire borough of mosquitoes, ticks and other pests a fog machine was purchased for \$1800, a jeep for \$1350, and labor and materials were provided at a cost of \$1850, total of \$5000. With this equipment the borough was sprayed all Summer for the first time.

\$100,000.00 bond issue was used for the construction of new streets.

Needed borough garage was built at a cost of \$40,000, plus \$15,000 for land purchase.

Enabled all borough employees to have Social Security at a cost of approximately \$4000 per year to the borough.

Borough employees were given salary increases during the past two years amounting to 8% per year.

Contributions to Fire Companies were increased the past year, giving each company an additional \$3000.00.

Created the office of borough assessor and eliminated ten assessors, there being one for each ward.

Studied the problem of equal assessments.

Studied revision of zoning in the borough.

Concentrated on surface treatment to maintain and preserve 35 miles of macadam streets in Pottstown.

Constructed new storm sewers at a cost of \$20,000, including the new Spruce street storm sewer.

Passed ordinance June 9, 1953, requiring all developers to install all facilities except water in their developments on a 100% basis. Also requiring individuals to post bond guaranteeing these facilities.

All land has been purchased for the Airport and final payment has been made in the sum of \$12,000. Of this amount the borough will receive a refund of \$5000, making a contribution of \$6500 to the Airport this year.

Regular system installed for the retirement of sinking funds.

Put into operation the new addition to the disposal plant for which bonds were issued in the sum of \$1,300,000. Sewer bottlenecks are being corrected at an approximate cost of \$250,000, which cost will be paid out of the original bond issue.

### BOARD OF EDUCATION

Every pledge of the 1951 political campaign designed to improve and increase the facilities of the educational program has been kept during the past two years by the Pottstown Board of Education with Republican majority in control.

The then candidates pledged to eliminate part-time paid jobs for board members. It vacated the offices of secretary and treasurer held by two Democratic members of board, each of whom received an annual salary of \$1000, thereby saving \$2000 each year to the taxpayers of Pottstown.

Survey of the athletic plant and equipment was made and facilities enlarged. A combination electric score board and time clock was provided for football and baseball games.

The board completed a new four-room addition to the Rupert building in the Sixth Ward. It also began construction of the new elementary school in the Ninth Ward. Total cost of new building construction \$100,000. Ground for new West End School purchased years ago by Republican Board.

Numerous improvements were made to the present Senior High School building. Roofs and vents were repaired. The cafeteria and library were enlarged. A new floor was installed in the gymnasium. The entire interior of the High School building was repainted and redecorated. New lighting fixtures were installed and the acoustics improved. The High School auditorium was repaired and repainted and the stage enlarged.

A kindergarten system was set up in the grade schools and developed throughout the system.

Curbing and paving was done on North Franklin street. A house on Adams street, surrounded by school property, was purchased thereby increasing the frontage on Adams street and providing additional ground for future development.

More than 2000 non-taxables were added to the tax rolls by a census taken by teachers under board supervision, adding approximately \$54,855 to the income from taxation.

The Veterans' Vocational School was reopened to afford veterans serving in the Korean War opportunity to take up training in the courses provided.

The board extended the time that teachers may teach in the schools. Instead of being retired at the age of 64 the age limit was made seventy when, under the State retirement law, retirement is compulsory.

Milk dispensers were provided in the various schools to keep milk served pupils both fresh and cold.

Preliminary plans for a new gymnasium and additional rooms at the Junior High School have been made.

Plans are under way for the extension of playground supervision to the Penn Village section of the borough.

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### Several Republican Candidates Seek To Oust Incumbents in Election

A number of Republican candidates will endeavor to gain office tomorrow in the election in Boyertown which finds several important posts at stake which the Democrats have dominated for many years.

Among these are the top borough office of burgess which finds the Republican choice, Lawrence M. Sands, in an attempt to win the office from the Democrat incumbent, James A. Fritz, a two-term office holder.

In the councilmanic posts, J. Clifford Levensong and Charles M. Edinger, will be seeking third term Democratic offices also with George Y. Schoenly, Democrat, seeking his first full four year term. Wilson Hillpot is the only Democratic newcomer.

Republican choices for the council posts are Murray A. Crull, who some years ago was a member of council; Russell R. Schaeffer, Isaac Y. Stauffer and Harold Roth completing the slate.

THE tax collector's post should also create great interest with Earl S. Benfield, Republican candidate, opposed by the incumbent Democrat, Paul R. Keyser, who barely defeated Benfield four years ago for the post.

Paul W. Landis, Republican, will be opposed by Augustus D. Gresh, Democrat incumbent for the only school director's post vacant this year. This is a six-year term. The auditor's post finds John R. Moser, Democrat incumbent.

### DEATHS - FUNERALS

Services for JOHN K. KELSCH, husband of Kathryn (Letterhouse) Kelsch, BALLY, were held on Saturday at 8:15 a. m., from the Schwenk funeral home, 124 West Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown. Solemn Requiem High mass was celebrated in the Most Blessed Sacrament church, Bally, at 9 a. m. The Rev. Leo J. Letterhouse, rector of St. Philip Neri Catholic church, East Greenville, served as celebrant; the Rev. William Bueser, rector of St. Mary's church, Delphi, served as deacon, and the Rev. Joseph J. Fricker, Reading, served as sub-deacon.

Interment was made in the adjoining cemetery. Bearers were members of St. Joseph's Beneficial society: Ralph Fronheiser, Lawrence Fronheiser, Harvey Bauman, James Bauer, Howard Bauer and Harvey Moser.

**Boyertown Classified**  
Deaths  
RICHARD—In New Berlinville, on Friday, Oct. 30, 1953, Charles M. husband of Ellen M. (Shaner) Richard, age 59 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from his late residence on Tuesday at 1:30 p. m. Further services in New Haven church. Friends may call on Monday evening 7 to 9. (Schwenk)

**Card of Thanks**  
KELSCH  
We wish to thank relatives, neighbors and friends for the many acts of kindness shown for sympathy extended and for the beautiful floral tributes at the funeral of John K. Kelsch. The FAMILY

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ISAAC Y. STAUFFER  
HAROLD R. ROTH

JUDGES OF ELECTION  
Mrs. Warren Grofe, 1st Pre. - Lawrence Angstadt, 2nd Pre.  
INSPECTORS OF ELECTION  
Mrs. Russell Wallace, 1st Pre - Richard Houck, 2nd Pre.  
Political Adv.

**Tax Collector**  
EARL S. BENFIELD  
School Director  
PAUL W. LANDIS  
Auditor  
WALTER C. BROOKE

**Several Limit Kills Reported by Hunters in Boyertown Area**

Many Boyertown and immediate area hunters took to the fields on Saturday morning but according to reports, found the game pretty scarce and as a result, only a few returned home with their limit or rabbits and pheasants.

Among the sharp shooters who returned home with four rabbits and two pheasants were Stanley Welsh, Daniel Rotherberger, John Dierolf, Leroy Heydt and H. David Fegley.

Other hunters and their kills were as follows: Howard Fegley, four rabbits, one pheasant; Earl Keyser, four rabbits, one pheasant; Howard Reinert, three rabbits, two pheasants; Paul Weidner, two rabbits, two pheasants; Charles Reinert, four rabbits, one pheasant; Henry Reinert, one rabbit.

Stuart H. Rothenberger, one rabbit; one pheasant; Arthur S. Schwenk, two rabbits; Lester H. Rothenberger, three rabbits, one pheasant; Paul Hutt, three rabbits, and two pheasants; William Vetter, one rabbit; Clark W. Good, one pheasant; Leon Frey, two pheasants; Richard Frey, one rabbit.

ALFRED Johnson, four rabbits, one pheasant; Jack Shingle, two rabbits, two pheasants; Bruce Keim, one rabbit, one pheasant; Warren Conrad, one rabbit; William Bower Sr., one rabbit; Warren Gross, four rabbits, one pheasant; Ralph Weinstein, one rabbit; Charles Heffner, one rabbit; Lester Bauer, four rabbits; Chester Bauer, four rabbits, one pheasant; Ardie Lee Sands, one rabbit.

Another area marksman, Harvey Reichert, who is 80 years of age, also joined the throng of hunters and came home with two rabbits.

The explorer Scouts of Boyertown Boy Scout Troop 3, made a field trip to what is known to them as "Hawk Mountain Sanctuary" near Hamburg, early yesterday morning and returned home early last night.

The sanctuary is known for the passing through of many species of hawks in their migration South and the troop members were fortunate in seeing a number pass through while on their watch. They hoped to see some eagles also but failed to see any.

Following their trip there, the group also visited the Trexler State game farm.

Troop members making the trip were Frederick Saul George Reifsnnyder, Walter Burkepile, Bruce Updegrave, Leon Houp, Klaus Neubauer and David Gruber, assistant scoutmaster and Robert S. Frain, scoutmaster.

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# Hill Defeats Blair for 6th Victory, 27-20

## REIDENOUER SCORES TWO, PASSES FOR THIRD

Hill school just kept rolling along Saturday, with Pottstown's Dave Reidenouer, in his first starting assignment at quarterback, pacing the Blues to their sixth straight win, a 27-20 victory over a visiting Blair Academy team.

Reidenouer, who played in Junior High school but passed up the grid game at Pottstown High, went to the air for one tally and personally juggled two across the last chalk line.

Coach Frank Bissell's boys started right out proving they were playing for keeps after Hill recovered Joe Basso's fumble on his own 43. Reidenouer flipped to Dave Riordan who took the heave on the Blair 18 and went to the eight Hill score, but the play was called back because of an illegal formation.

Walt Levering carried to the one on an off tackle handoff play following the penalty, but Blair held to take over. The visitors were forced to kick from their end zone on third down. Riordan took the ball on the Blair 35. With Bob Bittling and Pete Jones doing the carrying, the Blue advanced to the Blair three. A jump pass from Reidenouer to Riordan was good for the TD. Riordan kicked the extra point.

Blair's first score came in the second period when Don Schive went 35 yards on a quick opener through the line for the marker. Jim Fox blocked the conversion attempt.

Sparked by reverse plays by Jones and Levering, Hill bounced right back to move from its own 28 to the Blair one. Reidenouer kept on an option play and went around left end for Hill's second score. Riordan missed the extra point.

The intermission must have done Jones some good. On the opening kickoff of the second half, he traveled 95 yards from his own five for another Hill score, and the Blue really started rolling. Two key blocks by Bill Storm and Dave Yarrington paved the way for the Jones jaunt. Riordan converted.

AFTER GETTING nowhere following the kickoff, Blair's Bob Rex kicked from his own 30, but Henry Stoeber blocked the boot, then recovered it to set up Reidenouer's second TD.

The flashy Pottstown quarterback pitched out to Levering, who swung wide around left end to the Blair one. A quarterback sneak by Reidenouer and Riordan's extra point made it 27-6.

Blair scored late in the third period when Tom Burke returned the Hill kickoff to his own 35. From there, Blair marched straight downfield to the three, where Burke bulled

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PIRATE ESCAPE IS ENDED: Kenny Edwards, Spring City halfback is halted after returning a punt by North Coventry end Jim Owen in Saturday's 0-0 tie at Spring City. Getting ready to slam into Edwards is Bob McAfee, Norco tackle. Two

other members of the Spring City backfield can also be seen, fullback Bill Bainbridge on ground and Bill Stoudt, 30. The other Norco player is Ron Domin, on ground.

## Thrilling Ending

# Norco Defense Holds Spring City to 0-0 Tie

By BILL BRADLEY

Two Perk league teams rose above their past unimpressive records Saturday, and left fans wondering "How close can you get?" as a hard-hitting Spring City offense pounded against North Coventry's stubborn defense, to produce a 0-0 deadlock in the Pirate's back yard.

Neither club was able to get into the other's territory until midway through the first period when Bobby Hunter, Spring City back, started a drive by skirting right and from his own 32 to his 37. Bill Bainbridge, Pirate fullback, went off left tackle to the 50, where he was caught by Norco's Dave Clemens. A play later the drive was halted when Art Hughes, Norco guard, fell on Don Himes' fumble at the Norco 40.

With Don Domin and John Brower doing the legwork, the Wildcats got as far as their own 46 before being forced to kick. Bob Hewitt's punt traveled to the Pirate's three.

The Wildcats started prowling after a penalty back to the one forced Spring City to kick out to its own 30. Clemens returned to the 28.

Two jump passes by Clemens did nothing but limber up his arm, then he carried to the Pirate's 28 and followed that up with an aerial to Jim Owen on the Pirate 10. Domin took Clemens' handoff and went off left tackle to the

tackle to the four, but the Pirates took over when Clemens' jump pass to Domin lost a yard.

The hard running of Ken Edwards, Bainbridge, Bill Stoudt and Himes brought the Pirates up to

## NORCO BACK INJURED

With about a minute to go in the last game of the season, John Brower, North Coventry left halfback, suffered a slight concussion in Saturday's meeting between Spring City and Norco.

Brower walked off the field but collapsed in the locker room. He was taken to the Pottstown hospital where X-rays will be taken today.

Coach A. Brown, after visiting Brower last night, said that the grider was brighter but complained of a slight headache.

Brower is the second Wildcat casualty in the past eight days. Jim Oleka, Norco end, had his right leg fractured in last week's game with Wyomissing. Oleka expects to be up and around today, but will have to remain on crutches.

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On the first play of the final quarter, Stoudt passed to Bainbridge on the 20. Edward carried to the Norco 14, and Himes was thrown back to the 15. Norco took over after John Mullen, Norco center, dragged Hunter down back on the 20.

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## Miller Runs 86 Yards

## Royersford Loses, 26-13 At Yeadon

Long runs and plenty of scoring featured Yeadon's 26-13 win over Royersford Saturday afternoon at Yeadon.

Although the home team did most of the sprinting, it was Charlie Miller's 86-yard kickoff return that was the most exciting jaunt of the afternoon.

Despite a big edge in first downs, the Eagles allowed Yeadon to score three times on runs of 86, 64 and 50 yards. Jack Boyd was the chief scoring for Yeadon as he raced 64 yards in the first period to start the scoring and completed the point making for the afternoon with a 50 trot. He carried the ball 13 times and gained 166 yards.

Yeadon's other cross-country tally came in the second period when Bob French bolted 86 yards and later added a few more gains to total 98 yards for the day.

It was directly after French's touchdown that Miller returned the kickoff for one of Royersford's scores. Charlie caught the boot on his 14-yard line and started up the middle. His blockers gave him a lane and he romped through with only Boyd getting a crack at him on the Yeadon 40. Miller shook loose for Boyd's futile attempt and raced for the end zone. Hal Johnston tried to buck over for the point but failed.

Royersford had a drive going that moved to the Yeadon 11 before the halftime whistle halted it. The march started back on the Eagles' 20 but with Jansen Fray gaining big yardage on the ground the 'Fords were rolling. Another big gainer was a pass from Miller to Jim Bauer that covered 18 yards down to the Yeadon 12. Time ran out one play later on the 11.

A couple of fumbles bogged down the Royersford attack in the third period and an intercepted

pass by Yeadon started the home team to its third TD as the fourth quarter opened. It took the winners nine plays to march 50 yards with Bob Stith going the final seven yards over his left tackle.

Coach Bob McNelly used his reserves the rest of the game and with Ted Wojton, Art Nettles, Bill Butterfield and Ralph Beiber carrying the ball, the Eagle offense looked good.

ED ROSSEY recovered a Yeadon fumble on the home team's 10-yard line and in three plays Royersford had its second touchdown. Wojton went the final four through the middle and then bulled over for the extra point. That cut Yeadon's lead to seven points, 20-13.

Yeadon brought the ensuing kickoff back to midfield and then on second down, Boyd slipped through the middle and outraced the Royersford reserves for the clincher.

It was the Eagles' fifth loss against two wins and upped Yeadon's record to 5-1.

ROYERSFORD  
ENDS: H. Wojton, Keim, Baur, Clemens, Jones, Seda, Shapiro.  
TACKLES: Finkbinder, Rogers, Gelfer, Roussey, Wilson, Shaner, Berstreser.  
GUARDS: E. Miller, Greenawald, Dinocenti, Marquardt, Yeoman.  
CENTERS: Geiss, Boettger, Undercoffer.  
BACKS: Johnston, C. Miller, Beiber, T. Wojton, Rantz, Nettles, Carl, Fray.

YEADEON  
ENDS: D. Stith Ross.  
TACKLES: D. Cropper, W. Cropper, Creston, Moskowitz.  
GUARDS: Haines, Hamilton, Agre, Brady.  
CENTERS: Stith.  
BACKS: Reeder, French, Boyd, R. Smith, Danilla, Jones, Seda, Shapiro.

Score by periods:  
Royersford..... 6 0 6 7-13  
Yeadon..... 7 7 0 13-26  
Yards lost—Royersford..... 19  
Yards gained—Yeadon..... 301  
Plays called—rushing..... 24  
Passes..... 4  
Complete..... 1  
Yards gained..... 1  
Yards lost..... 2  
Total yards gained..... 305  
Fumbles..... 2  
Fumbles lost..... 1  
Punts..... 5  
Total yards..... 188  
Average yards per punt..... 37.6  
Yards run back..... 8  
Yards lost—penalties..... 35

Another record was shattered in the second heat, when Fred Peters, of Plainfield, N. J., made the five mile tour in 4:18.05 minutes.

Sostilio wound up 28½ points ahead of Reading's Tommy Hinnerst, the defending champion who had won the title the past four years in a row. Prior to yesterday's feature event, Sostilio held a 13½ lead over Hinnerst, who picked up 10 points during the feature while Sostilio's win netted him 25.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP is decided on a point basis over the entire season.

A three car pileup in the fourth heat sent three drivers to the Elm Terrace hospital in Lansdale. Dick Linder, of Pittsburgh, spun then stalled across the track. He was hit by cars driven by Joe Mattera, of Deer Lake Inn, and Mel Weidner, Reading.

Mattera was released from the hospital almost immediately, but Weidner and Linder were admitted for the night. Hospital authorities said both drivers have head injuries, and are awaiting the results of X-rays.

Yesterday's card was a re-run of the past week's show which was rained out.

SUMMARY  
First heat: Won by Joe Sostilio, 2. Al Herman, 3. Joe Barzda. Time: 4:23.21 minutes.  
Second heat: Won by Fred Peters, 12. Ernie McCoy, 3. Wally Campbell. Time: 4:18.05 minutes (new track record for five miles).  
Third heat: Won by Tommy Hinnerst, 2. Bill Randall, 3. Bill Case. 4. Time.  
Fourth heat: Won by Buster Warkle, 2. Johnny Mattera, 3. Johnny Kay. 4. No time.  
Feature: Won by Sostilio, 2. McCoy, 3. Randall, 4. Hinnerst, 5. Herman. Time: 10:36.30 minutes (new track record for 12½ miles).

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## FOOTBALL SCORES

SCHOLASTIC  
Hill School 27, Blair 20.  
Spring City 28, North Coventry 0.  
Upper Perkiomen 32, Hellertown 0.  
Yeadon 26, Royersford 13.  
West Chester 40, Springfield 0.  
Cortland 27, Columbia 13.  
Lower Merion 6, Upper Darby 6.  
Haverford 26, Springfield 0.  
Ridley Park 31, Darby 0.

JEFFERSON  
Jefferson 6, Lincoln 0.  
Rupert 8, Franklin 6.  
LEAGUE STANDINGS  
W L T Pts  
Jefferson..... 5 0 0 10  
Rupert..... 2 2 1 5  
Lincoln..... 2 2 0 4  
Franklin..... 1 2 1 3  
St. Clair..... 0 3 0 0  
Next Saturday's Schedule  
9:15 a. m. Lincoln vs. Franklin.  
10:15 a. m. Rupert vs. Jefferson.

LINCOLN Pos. JEFFERSON  
Kiback.....LE.....Shaner  
Stewart.....LT.....Stewart  
Weller.....LG.....W. Luckett  
Horrocks.....RG.....Burton  
Frick.....RT.....Kopenhauer  
Mashe.....RE.....Florito  
Clemens.....RE.....Florito  
Kade.....RE.....G. Luckett  
Leveille.....RH.....Gibson  
Bartman.....FB.....Roberts  
Lincoln subs: Gauger, Biser, Mitchell, Neiman, Grubb.  
Jefferson subs: Simms, Shaw, Roberts, Dusk.

RUPERT Pos. FRANKLIN  
Rubendall.....LE.....Merrin  
Fisher.....LT.....Seacrist  
M. Rorer.....LG.....Fine  
Ormaechea.....RG.....Firth  
Houcek.....RT.....Cox  
Glavis.....RE.....Shanley  
Borger.....RE.....DeLong  
Borgiet.....RH.....Donahue  
L.H.....Boyer  
Children.....FB.....Donahue  
Rupert sub: Smoyer.  
Franklin sub: Grady.

Warriors in Tie For C-M Lead

STANDINGS  
W L T Pts  
Bridgeport..... 3 1 0 6  
West Chester..... 3 2 0 6  
Downingtown..... 2 1 0 4  
Pottstown..... 1 1 1 3  
Berwyn..... 1 1 1 3  
Phoenixville..... 1 2 0 2  
Coatesville..... 0 3 0 0

The Ches-Mont league standings were shuffled over the weekend as West Chester moved into a tie with Bridgeport by defeating Coatesville, 41-0. The victory gives the Warriors six points (two for each win) the same number as Bridgeport has in only four games.

Pottstown and Berwyn remained in a tie for fourth, each was three points as Downingtown held its place behind the leaders with four.

Both Downingtown and Phoenixville lost non-league games, the Whippets dropping a 19-6 decision to Radnor, and the Phantoms being edged by Conshohocken, 6-0.

Charlie Lawson increased his C-M scoring lead with a pair of touchdowns in the rout over Coatesville. His first tally was 90 yards and later he scored on a 33-yard pass play from Bill Greenwalt.

Graves' Diggers  
Georgia Tech line coach Ray Graves played two years of professional football with the Philadelphia Eagles.

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## VOTE FOR GOOD GOVERNMENT



—Mercury Staff Photo

THE TWO winners of the first-place laurels for the Halloween window painting contest held the past week pose beside their painting, with the chairman of the project.

From left are Stanley L. Jones, Optimist club chairman, Diane Sandquist and Gail Minault. See Page 1 for the story.

### THREE ARE SHOT —

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1, also got the limit in four-footers and winged one bird.

Earl Bartman, 72 North York street, who hunted with Garber, brought home four rabbits and two pheasants.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hummel, Walnut street, Stowe, were out and accounted for four birds and three rabbits.

And Roy Endy, Grosstown road, Stowe, shot four rabbits.

Three rabbits and one pheasant were Paul Sell's bag. Sell lives in Boyertown.

Richard Borneman, Terrace lane, snagged two pheasants and one rabbit.

Leon Borneman, Sanatoga, shot two pheasants and one rabbit.

Robert Herringer, 961 South Hills boulevard, proved a marksman by bagging four rabbits and two pheasants.

J. Keith Jameson, 15, 70 Manatwamy street, went out with his father, Howard, and showed a lot of skill. Hunting on the farm on Layfield road where he was born, young Keith blasted his first rabbit. Pop saved face by bringing home a pheasant and a rabbit. But for a while there it was close.

Richard Hoyer, Graterford, knocked down one pheasant.

Brothers Leonard and Robert Piersol, Colebrookdale township, really filled the deep freezer; seven rabbits, two birds and one squirrel between them.

Norman Kolp, 307 Spring street, Royersford, shot three rabbits and one pheasant in Upper Providence township.

Merrill Fleming, Walnut street, Royersford, accounted for one pheasant.

Charles Adleman Jr., Green street, Royersford, popped off two pheasants.

Kenneth Kirk, Pottstown RD 4, shot four rabbits and one bird.

But his 17-year-old son, Jimmy, proved more adept at the wing shots; he knocked down two of the ringnecked beauties.

Finland is slightly larger than New Mexico.

### BOROUGH MANAGER —

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Summer cars would throw water up on the sidewalks."

Residents have complained the drop from driveway to street is hard on their cars. Some are putting boards or logs along the street in order to make the grade into their drives.

Gulden said, "What they can do is chip away the concrete down to street level. A number of them already have done this."

### Two Automobiles Collide At Borough Intersection

Two cars collided in a front-end, rear-end collision at King and Charlotte streets Saturday night.

Thomas R. Eidell, 333 Queen street, was traveling west on King street, made a left turn and was struck from the rear by a car operated by Donald H. Mansion, 247 Main street, Royersford.

The left front fender of the Eidell car was damaged. There was no damage to the Mansion vehicle.

### Shift in Cabinet Posts Announced by Gov. Fine

HARRISBURG, Nov. 1 (AP)—Gov. S. Fine made a double shift in his cabinet on Saturday, naming Frank C. Hilton, Reading, as Secretary of Property and Supplies, and transferring Alan D. Reynolds, Pittsburgh, from that post to Secretary of Welfare.

The appointments become effective tomorrow when both Hilton and Reynolds will take over their new posts at the capitol. Both jobs pay \$15,000.

It is estimated that six million tons of water flow into the Dead Sea daily, all of which eventually is removed by evaporation.

### Stowe Man Injured In Route 422 Crash

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A 24-year-old Stowe man was injured early yesterday morning when the car he was driving collided with another car on Route 422 three miles east of Birdsboro.

John Klapotsky, 24, 402 Howard street, Stowe, suffered contusions of the back and was treated at St. Joseph's hospital, Reading.

His passenger, Eleanor Kohl, 25, Reading, was admitted to the hospital with cuts of the skull and bruises of the knee.

The second car was operated by Raymond J. Folk, 48, Temple RD 1, who suffered cuts of the skull and knee and head bruises. He was admitted to the hospital also.

The collision occurred at 4:15 a. m. The Klapotsky car was traveling south on Weavertown road and the Folk car was going west on Route 422.

Damage to both cars amounted to more than \$2000, Reading State police said.

### Area Motorist Blamed In Death of Youth, 15

A coroner's jury in Reading has found a Geigertown RD 1 man responsible in the death of a 15-year-old boy in a driving accident.

Stanley Mock, 61, was the operator of an automobile which struck and killed Daniel L. Sassaman Jr. of Glen Burnie, Md., on Aug. 29.

The coroner's jury deliberated 15 minutes, following the testimony of witnesses that Mock was driving a zig-zag course and that he had been drinking some beer.

Dr. Paul D. Good is the coroner.

### NEW COMMANDER NAMED

HARRISBURG, Nov. 1 (AP)—Brig. Gen. A. H. Stackpole, executive editor of the Patriot-News company, will become commander of the 79th infantry division, US Army reserves on Jan. 1.

### OLD BRIDGE —

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side of the Manatwamy at 12:30 o'clock.

Reading State Trooper Harley Smith reported the car was traveling at a high rate of speed. A 60-foot stretch of the wall was damaged.

Wooden pillars and concrete piers of the bridge were damaged.

Highway repairmen worked through the early morning hours to make the bridge passable to traffic.

Passengers in the demolished auto were Patricia Haag, 15, Penn Village, and Horace Adams, 21, Coatesville.

The trio was rushed to Memorial hospital by a passing motorist.

Miller suffered cuts of the face and right knee.

Miss Haag suffered a compound fracture of the left index finger and Adams was treated for a cut of the right eyebrow. All were discharged after treatment.

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Fourth Ward — WALTER E. FIZZ  
Fifth Ward — RALPH L. WEIS

Sixth Ward — WILLIAM H. REIFSNYDER  
Seventh Ward — J. WAYNE KNAUSE  
Eighth Ward — EDW. H. HUNNICUTT  
Ninth Ward — JOHN R. HOFFECKER  
Tenth Ward — HAROLD J. CASSELBERRY

### REPUBLICAN ACCOMPLISHMENTS

For the purpose of ridding the entire borough of mosquitoes, ticks and other pests a fog machine was purchased for \$1800, a jeep for \$1350, and labor and materials were provided at a cost of \$1850, total of \$5000. With this equipment the borough was sprayed all Summer for the first time.

\$100,000.00 bond issue was used for the construction of new streets.

Needed borough garage was built at a cost of \$40,000, plus \$15,000 for land purchase.

Enabled all borough employees to have Social Security at a cost of approximately \$4000 per year to the borough.

Borough employees were given salary increases during the past two years amounting to 8% per year.

Contributions to Fire Companies were increased the past year, giving each company an additional \$3000.00.

Created the office of borough assessor and eliminated ten assessors, there being one for each ward.

Studied the problem of equal assessments.

Studied revision of zoning in the borough.

Concentrated on surface treatment to maintain and preserve 35 miles of macadam streets in Pottstown.

Constructed new storm sewers at a cost of \$20,000, including the new Spruce street storm sewer.

Passed ordinance June 9, 1953, requiring all developers to install all facilities except water in their developments on a 100% basis. Also requiring individuals to post bond guaranteeing these facilities.

All land has been purchased for the Airport and final payment has been made in the sum of \$12,000. Of this amount the borough will receive a refund of \$5000, making a contribution of \$6500 to the Airport this year.

Regular system installed for the retirement of sinking funds.

Put into operation the new addition to the disposal plant for which bonds were issued in the sum of \$1,300,000. Sewer bottlenecks are being corrected at an approximate cost of \$250,000, which cost will be paid out of the original bond issue.

### BOARD OF EDUCATION

Every pledge of the 1951 political campaign designed to improve and increase the facilities of the educational program has been kept during the past two years by the Pottstown Board of Education with Republican majority in control.

The then candidates pledged to eliminate part-time paid jobs for board members. It vacated the offices of secretary and treasurer held by two Democratic members of board, each of whom received an annual salary of \$1000; thereby saving \$2000 each year to the taxpayers of Pottstown.

Survey of the athletic plant and equipment was made and facilities enlarged. A combination electric score board and time clock was provided for football and baseball games.

The board completed a new four-room addition to the Rupert building in the Sixth Ward. It also began construction of the new elementary school in the Ninth Ward. Total cost of new building construction \$100,000. Ground for new West End School purchased years ago by Republican Board.

Numerous improvements were made to the present Senior High School building. Roofs and vents were repaired. The cafeteria and library were enlarged. A new floor was installed in the gymnasium. The entire interior of the High School building was repainted and redecorated. New lighting fixtures were installed and the acoustics improved. The High School auditorium was repaired and repainted and the stage enlarged.

A kindergarten system was set up in the grade schools and developed throughout the system.

Curbing and paving was done on North Franklin street. A house on Adams street, surrounded by school property, was purchased thereby increasing the frontage on Adams street and providing additional ground for future development.

More than 2000 non-taxables were added to the tax rolls by a census taken by teachers under board supervision, adding approximately \$54,855 to the income from taxation.

The Veterans' Vocational School was reopened to afford veterans serving in the Korean War opportunity to take up training in the courses provided.

The board extended the time that teachers may teach in the schools. Instead of being retired at the age of 64 the age limit was made seventy when, under the State retirement law, retirement is compulsory.

Milk dispensers were provided in the various schools to keep milk served pupils both fresh and cold.

Preliminary plans for a new gymnasium and additional rooms at the Junior High School have been made.

Plans are under way for the extension of playground supervision to the Penn Village section of the borough.

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Giants, 49ers Triumph

Rams Halt Lions, 37-24; Browns Win No. 6

NEW YORK, Nov. 1 (AP)—The tie for first place in the Western conference of the National Football league was broken today and the Los Angeles Rams took over the top rung. With a record-breaking crowd of 39,751 looking on at Los Angeles, the Rams defeated the defending champion Detroit Lions 37-24 while the San Francisco 49ers turned back the Chicago Bears 24-14.

The results left the Rams in first place with a 5-1 record. The Lions and 49ers are tied for second, each with 4-2.

Meanwhile, the Cleveland Browns, who apparently are determined to go on winning forever, clubbed the Washington Redskins in the top Eastern conference game 27-3 and remained the only undefeated team in the league with a 6-0 record.

The Rams had to come from behind a 10-point deficit to achieve their triumph over the Lions who got off winging in the first quarter when Jack Christiansen intercepted a Norm Van Brocklin pass and raced goalward without a hand being laid on him. Before that, Doak Walker had kicked a field goal.

The Rams got back in the ball game on a five-yard buck over the line by Skeet Quinlan and a field goal by Ben Agajanian. But the Lions' Jug Girard scampered 85 yards from the goal line to the Ram 15 to set up a touchdown pass from Bobby Layne to Leon Hart. That finished the Lions' offensive efforts until the final minute when Hunchy Hoernschemeyer went over from the one.

THE RAMS scored three times in the third period—on a 74-yard jaunt by Quinlan, on a pass interception by Don Paul who lateralled to Woodley Lewis who carried it across and on a pass interception by Jack Dwyer who raced it 31 yards. In the final quarter Van Brocklin passed to V. T. Smith for the last—and, as it turned out, unnecessary—score.

Y. A. Tittle, his broken cheekbone protected by a mask, returned to fulltime duty to lead the 49ers to their victory over the Bears. The game was close all the way and at one point, the Bears tied it at 14.

Tittle set up the first score with a 47-yard pass. Then Joe Arenas went over from the 18. A few minutes later, Tittle tossed to Bill Wilson for another touchdown.

But the Bears weren't out of it and George Blanda threw two scoring passes, one to Bill McColl and the other to Billy Stone. The latter came about as a result of the interception of a Tittle pitch.

The 49ers notched what proved to be the winning touchdown in the second quarter when they drove 80 yards with Hugh McElhenny driving the final eight. Gordon Soltau kicked a field goal for the only scoring of the second half.

The Eastern conference leaders, who have won all six of their starts, could do no better than two field goals in the first half but unleashed their attack for three touchdowns in the second session.

IN TWO OTHER Eastern conference games, the Philadelphia Eagles defeated the Pittsburgh Steelers 35-7 and the New York Giants turned back the Chicago Cardinals 23-20.

This time the Browns needed the breaks to make a runaway of the game. They scored their touchdowns as a result of recovering a fumbled punt, blocking a kick and intercepting a pass. Until that point, the Browns had slipped into the lead on Lou Groza's two field goals. Bill Dudley kicked one for the 'Skins.

Rookie Tom Catlin engineered two of the breaks. First, he grabbed the ball on the Washington 44 when Charlie Justice fumbled a punt. From there the winners went all the way with Otto Graham bulging over from the 1. Then Catlin intercepted an Eddie Le Baron pass on the Redskins' 25 and raced to the 9 where Billy Reynolds crashed over.

The Browns scored other final touchdowns when tackle Don Steinbrunner blocked a Le Baron kick. Chuck Noll recovered and ran across but the ball was called back to the 25 because the whistle had been blown. That didn't faze Graham who tossed to Pete Brewster on the 3. Two plays later, Graham went into the pack.

The Giants recorded their triumph over the Cards—who still haven't won a game—in the last seven seconds of play on a pass from Korea veteran Arnold Galiffa to Kyle Rote. The latter speared the 25-yard pass at midfield and raced all the way down the sidelines for the touchdown.

THE OTHER GIANT tallies were scored in the first period of the Western conference cellar. Frank Gifford made a field goal, with a 35-24 decision over the Ed Price went eight yards for one.



—Mercury Sportsphoto

JOHN SCHWEIGERT, Pottstown RD 3, had a good day on opening day and here he holds the proof, a red fox. Pottstown area hunters had a field day Saturday with plenty of game reported seen and shot.

NFL STANDINGS

EASTERN CONFERENCE			
Team	W	L	Tied
Cleveland	6	0	0
Philadelphia	5	2	1
Pittsburgh	3	3	0
Washington	2	3	1
New York	2	4	0
Chicago Bears	0	6	0

WESTERN CONFERENCE			
Team	W	L	Tied
Los Angeles	5	1	0
Detroit	4	2	0
San Francisco	4	2	0
Baltimore	3	3	0
Green Bay	2	4	0
Chicago Bears	1	5	0

SUNDAY'S RESULTS  
Philadelphia 35, Pittsburgh 7.  
New York 23, Chicago Cardinals 20.  
Cleveland 27, Washington 3.  
Los Angeles 37, Detroit 24.  
San Francisco 24, Chicago Bears 14.

THIS WEEK'S GAMES  
Saturday  
Baltimore at Detroit (night).  
Sunday  
Chicago Cards at Washington.  
Green Bay at Chicago Bears.  
New York at Philadelphia.  
Pittsburgh at Cleveland.  
San Francisco at Los Angeles.

Both Face Stern Tests

NEW YORK, Nov. 1 (AP)—Illinois and Stanford, a couple of teams which didn't rate a month ago, are the leading candidates for a New Year's Day meeting in the Rose Bowl as the college football season starts down the November stretch.

Illinois, ranked fourth nationally, wrapped up its third Big Ten Conference victory with a neat 21-0 effort over the Purdue team that had upset Michigan State the week before. Stanford, with quarterback Bob Garrett passing for three touchdowns, had an easy time with Washington State 48-19 to mark up its fifth straight Pacific Coast Conference triumph.

The Illini meet Michigan and the Bruins face Southern California this coming weekend in games that could cement the path to Pasadena if they win.

Those same Trojans from USC provided the lone form reversal among the top-rated eleven Saturday by dropping an incredible 13-7 decision to an Oregon team that had lost four earlier conference starts. Southern Cal, ineligible for the Rose Bowl because it played there last January, hadn't been defeated prior to that clash in Portland.

Notre Dame, No. 1 team in the nation, completed the first half of its 10-game schedule with a decisive 38-7 victory over highly-touted UCLA.

The Cards got one in the final period that tied it at 17-17 as a result of Ray Ramsey intercepting a Galiffa pass. Johnny Olszewski climaxed the march by going over from the five. They made their first in the first period when Steve Romanick connected with Vern Nagler who was standing in the end zone.

In the only game last night, the Green Bay Packers climbed out of the Western conference cellar. Frank Gifford made a field goal, with a 35-24 decision over the Ed Price went eight yards for one.

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Thomason Completes 22 Passes as Eagles Beat Steelers, 35-7

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 1 (AP)—Quarterback Bobby Thomason hit his receivers like ducks in a shooting gallery today to pilot the Philadelphia Eagles to a 35-7 victory over Pittsburgh and knock the Steelers out of second place in the Eastern conference of the National Football league.

Thomason completed 22 out of 33 forward passes—three of them for touchdowns. He hit Bobby Walston with a 21-yard touchdown pass in the second quarter and flipped a 25 yard pass to Pete Pihos, and one of eight yards to Harold Gancanelli in the final quarter.

Halfback Jerry Williams romped 48 yards and Gancanelli scampered eight yards for the other Eagle scores. Williams thrilled the crowd of 27,547 fans with his touchdown run in the first quarter.

Halfback Ray Mathews speared a 11 yard pass from quarterback Jimmy Finks on fourth down and with only 45 seconds remaining in the first half for the Steelers' lone touchdown.

IT WAS the Steelers' first loss at home and gave them a 3-3 slate in the Eastern conference. The Eagle victory was the third of the season, against two defeats and a tie.

By winning, the Eagles moved into second place since the Washington Redskins lost to the Cleveland Browns 27-3.

The longest run of the day was by Mathews in the third quarter. He took a punt by Adrian Burke and raced 54 yards to the Eagle 22. Nick Bolkovac attempted a 30-yard field goal after three passes by Finks fell short. The kick went wide. He also missed a 45-yard field goal attempt with two minutes remaining of the same period.

Halfback Lynn Chandonis, the leagues top kickoff return artist, suffered a kidney injury after a hard tackle in the second quarter and missed the rest of the game. Steeler officials said the extent of the injury has not yet been determined.

WHILE ILLINOIS and Stanford have come to the front in the Rose Bowl picture other post-season contests are beginning to take shape. The recent Atlantic Coast Big Seven conference Orange Bowl tieup looks like a cinch match between Maryland and Oklahoma. Baylor, which runs into second place Texas Saturday, appears to have the inside track to the Southwest conference crown and the automatic Cottonbowl bid that goes with it.

Meanwhile Notre Dame, a team that disdains post-season play but isn't shy about aiming for its first national championship since 1949, took another major stride in that direction by riddling Navy's armor with a combined land and air assault.

Coach Frank Leahy, recovering from a muscular spasm attack suffered the previous weekend, watched on television from his home as the Irish exploded for four touchdowns in the second period and then coasted the rest of the way. Joe Heap, the forgotten man of the excellent Notre Dame backfield, got the first two scores—one on a short plunge and the other on a 28-yard pass from quarterback Ralph Guglielmi that was tipped into his hands at the goal line by a Navy defender.

It's the USLA Bruins, incidentally, who are Stanford's chief challengers for the Rose Bowl invitation. Stanford, holder of a 21-20 victory over UCLA, began the season with a 20-25 loss to College of the Pacific but has blossomed as a power in recent weeks. Southern Cal has a deciding voice since it meets UCLA after taking on the Indians.

Illinois, which already holds a 33-21 victory over Stanford, has persistently refused to show signs of stumbling as is normal for such a young team. With Sophomore running aces J. C. Caroline and Mickey Bates and Senior passer Elroy Falkenstein sparking the attack, the Illini moved the ball well against Purdue, then recovered six

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TWO OREGON PLAYERS SAVED AFTER CRASH

ASTORIA, Ore., Nov. 1 (AP)—Rescue by the Coast Guard today ended a harrowing night in desolate woods for two University of Oregon football players, who miraculously escaped serious injury when their plane crashed in isolated Washington forest country about 20 miles east of here yesterday.

The two, Dean Van Leuven, 20, Bandon, Ore., and Jerry Nelson, 22, East Side, Ore., spent most of the night in the open with steady rain soaking their tattered clothing. Later they huddled together in an abandoned shack to keep warm.

They took off last night from Scappoose, about 30 miles northwest of Portland, in a two-place Cessna plane. They planned to follow the Columbia river to Astoria and then head down the Coast to their homes 250 miles south. Shortly after the plane swung across the

Hill Runners Defeat Blair

Blair beat Hill, 22-33, in a cross-country meet run between the halves of the Blair-Hill football game Saturday, over the 2.3/10 mile Hill course.

Joe Dobson and Bob Robinson, of Blair, tied for first place in 12:25.2 minutes. Bill Pope, Hill school, lead the Blue harriers by notching third place, edging out Blair's Milt Rittman. Rittman was defeated for the first time this season. Previously the three Blair trotters, Dobson, Robinson and Rittman had always tied for first.

The win is Blair's fifth straight against no defeats. Hill's record is now 3-1.

- SUMMARY
1. Dobson, Blair. Time: 12:25.2
  2. Robinson, Blair. (Tie for first).
  3. Pope, Hill.
  4. Rittman, Blair.
  5. Coddling, Hill.
  6. Lindus, Hill.
  7. Mazzy, Blair.
  8. Old, Blair.
  9. Landis, Hill.
  10. Tessel, Hill.

Johnson Top Contender

Davey, Young Open New Campaigns

NEW YORK, Nov. 1 (AP)—Chuck Davey and Paddy Young, both beaten soundly in title bouts, open new campaigns this week and Harry Johnson, the No. 1 light heavyweight, continues his drive toward the championship held by Archie Moore.

Davey, the most popular fighter on television until he ran into Kid Gavilan, boxes Al Andrews Wednesday night at Detroit. The winner gets a Dec. 2 match at Detroit with Billy Graham. Andrews upset Davey at Saginaw, Mich., in September, accounting for Davey's second defeat.

Young makes his first start since he lost to Bobo Olson in the American middleweight title bout in June, opposing Sammy Giuliani of Stamford, Conn. In a 10-rounder at St. Nicholas arena. The Friday radio-TV show shifts to St. Nick's because Madison Square garden is occupied by the horse show.

A BACK INJURY forced Larry Watson of Omaha, Neb., out of his Saturday night match with Harold Johnson at Milwaukee. Henry Hall, veteran New Orleans

State College Playoff Move Rejected

HARRISBURG, Nov. 1 (AP)—Prohibitive costs were cited by the Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic association in deciding not to try to hold the annual State schoolboy championship basketball game in Harrisburg's vast state Farm Show arena.

The organization's board of control at its quarterly meeting yesterday turned down the proposal on the recommendation of Mark Funk, executive director.



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# Hill Defeats Blair for 6th Victory, 27-20

## REIDENOUER SCORES TWO, PASSES FOR THIRD

Hill school just kept rollin' along Saturday, with Pottstown's Dave Reidenouer, in his first starting assignment at quarterback, pacing the Blues to their sixth straight win, a 27-20 victory over a visiting Blair Academy team.

Reidenouer, who played in Junior High school but passed up the grid game at Pottstown High, went to the air for one tally and personally logged two across the last chalk line.

Coach Frank Bissell's boys started right out proving they were playing for keeps after Hill recovered Joe Basso's fumble on his own 43. Reidenouer flipped to Dave Riordan who took the heave on the Blair 18 and went to the eight Hill scored, but the play was called back because of an illegal formation.

Walt Levering carried to the one on an off tackle handoff play following the penalty, but Blair held to take over. The visitors were forced to kick from their end zone on third down. Riordan took the ball on the Blair 35. With Bob Blitting and Pete Jones doing the carrying, the Blue advanced to the Blair three. A jump pass from Reidenouer to Riordan was good for the TD. Riordan kicked the extra point.

Blair's first score came in the second period when Don Schive went 35 yards on a quick opener through the line for the marker. Jim Fox blocked the conversion attempt.

Sparked by reverse plays by Jones and Levering, Hill bounced right back to move from its own 25 to the Blair one. Reidenouer kept on an option play and went around left end for Hill's second score. Riordan missed the extra point.

The intermission must have done Jones some good. On the opening kickoff of the second half, he traveled 93 yards from his own five for another Hill score, and the Blue really started rolling. Two key blocks by Bill Storm and Dave Yarrington paved the way for the Jones jaunt. Riordan converted.

**AFTER GETTING** nowhere following the kickoff, Blair's Bob Rex kicked from his own 30, but Henry Stoeber blocked the boot, then recovered it to set up Reidenouer's second TD.

The flashy Pottstown quarterback pitched out to Levering, who swung wide around left end to the Blair one. A quarterback sneak by Reidenouer and Riordan's extra point made it 27-6.

Blair scored late in the third period when Tom Burke returned the Hill kickoff to his own 35. From there, Blair marched straight downfield to the three, where Burke bulled

## FOOTBALL SCORES

SCHOOL	
Hill School 27, Blair 20.	
Conestoga 19, North Coventry 9.	
Upper Perkiomen 22, Hellertown 0.	
Yeadon 26, Royersford 13.	
West Chester 40, Coatesville 0.	
Wilmington 19, Upper Darby 6.	
Haverford 26, Springfield 0.	
Ridley Park 31, Darby 0.	
Marple-Newtown 14, Prospect Park 0.	
North Philadelphia 27, Media 6.	
Colts Neck 19, North Plainfield 13.	
Conshohocken 6, Phoenixville 0.	
Central Bucks 34, Springfield 0.	
Fennettsville 21, Hatboro 7.	
Wilmington 19, George School 6.	
PNC Prep 38, BMI 17.	
Stevens 46, US Naval Prep 0.	
Reading 28, Lancaster 21.	
Shrewsbury 12, Seaford 14.	
John Harris 19, Easton 0.	
Williamsport 26, Lebanon 0.	
Perkiomen 24, Pennington 6.	
Ridgewood 13, Peddie 12.	
COASTAL	
Ursinus 14, Wagner 6.	
Princeton 27, Brown 13.	
Conant 27, Columbia 13.	
Dartmouth 32, Yale 0.	
Fordham 20, Miami (Fla.) 0.	
Richmond 24, Boston College 0.	
Syracuse 21, Holy Cross 0.	
West Virginia 20, State 19.	
Colgate 33, Rutgers 13.	
Westminster 20, Waynesburg 0.	
Temple 7, Babineburg Navy 7.	
Wilmington 19, State 14.	
Bloomington 14, New Haven 12.	
Western Maryland 33, Penn Military 7.	
Lafayette 21, Perkins & Marshall 13.	
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Dartmouth 32, Yale 0.	
Junata 29, Susquehanna 0.	
W&J 32, St. Francis 7.	
Scranton 20, Ursinus 19.	
SOUTH	
Mississippi 27, Louisiana State 16.	
Memphis State 27, Mississippi South 12.	
Auburn 16, Florida 7.	
Clemson 18, Wake Forest 0.	
Duke 48, Virginia 6.	
Maryland 24, South Carolina 6.	
William and Mary 7, North Carolina State 6.	
Tennessee 20, North Carolina 6.	
Georgia Washington 25, Washington & Lee 7.	
Army 0, Tulane 0 (tie).	
Georgia Tech 43, Vanderbilt 0.	
Texas Tech 27, Mississippi State 20.	
Oklahoma A & M 28, Tulsa 14.	
Oklahoma 34, Kansas State 0.	
Texas 18, Southern Methodist 7.	
Baylor 35, Texas Christian 7.	
Panhandle (Okla.) A&M 27, Arizona State 21.	
New Mexico 20, Denver 18.	
Kentucky 19, Rice 12.	
Arkansas 41, Texas A&M 14.	
Hardin-Simmons 27, Arizona State (Tempe) 20.	
Arizona 39, West Texas 6.	
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UCLA 20, California 7.	
Stanford 14, Washington State 19.	
Oregon 13, Southern California 7.	
Washington 21, Utah 14.	
Utah State 33, Montana 14.	
Wyoming 27, Brigham Young 0.	
Colorado College 13, Colorado State 7.	
Idaho State 13, Montana State 0.	
Colorado 41, Iowa State 34.	

## Warriors in Tie For C-M Lead

STANDINGS	T	W	L	T	Pts
Bridgeport	3	1	0	6	6
West Chester	3	2	0	6	6
Downingtown	2	1	0	4	4
Pottstown	1	1	1	3	3
Berwyn	1	1	1	3	3
Phoenixville	1	2	0	2	2
Coatesville	0	3	0	0	0

The Ches-Mont league standings were shuffled over the weekend as West Chester moved into a tie with Bridgeport by defeating Coatesville, 41-0. The victory gives the Warriors six points (two for each win) the same number as Bridgeport has in only four games.

Pottstown and Berwyn remained in a tie for fourth, each having three points as Downingtown held its place behind the leaders with four.

Both Downingtown and Phoenixville lost non-league games, the Whippets dropping a 19-6 decision to Radnor, and the Phantoms being edged by Conshohocken, 6-0.

Charlie Lawson increased his C-M scoring lead with a pair of touchdowns in the rout over Coatesville. His first tally was 90 yards and later he scored on a 33-yard pass play from Bill Greenwalt.

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**PIRATE ESCAPE IS ENDED:** Kenny Edwards, Spring City halfback is halted after returning a punt by North Coventry end Jim Owen in Saturday's 0-0 tie played at Spring City. Getting ready to slam into Edwards is Bob McAfee, Norco tackle. Two

other members of the Spring City backfield can also be seen, fullback Bill Bainbridge on ground and Bill Stoudt, 30. The other Norco player is Ron Domin, on ground.

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Thrilling Ending

## Norco Defense Holds Spring City to 0-0 Tie

By BILL BRADLEY

Two Perk league teams rose above their past unimpressive records Saturday, and left fans wondering "How close can you get?" as a hard-hitting Spring City offense pounded against North Coventry's stubborn defense, to produce a 0-0 deadlock in the Pirate's back yard.

Neither club was able to get into the other's territory until midway through the first period when Bobby Hunter, Spring City back, started a drive by skirting right and from his own 32 to his 37. Bill Bainbridge, Pirate fullback, went off left tackle to the 50, where he was caught by Norco's Dave Clemens.

A play later the drive was halted when Art Hughes, Norco guard, fell on Don Himes' fumble at the Norco 40.

With Don Domin and John Brower doing the legwork, the Wildcats got as far as their own 46 before being forced to kick. Bob Hewitt's punt traveled to the Pirate's three.

The Wildcats started prowling after a penalty back to the one forced Spring City to kick out to its own 30. Clemens returned to the 28.

Two jump passes by Clemens did nothing but lumber up his arm, then he carried to the Pirate's 28 and followed that up with an aerial to Jim Owen on the Pirate 10. Domin took Clemens' handoff and went off left tackle to the

tackle to the four, but the Pirates took over when Clemens' jump pass to Domin lost a yard. The hard running of Ken Edwards, Bainbridge, Bill Stoudt and Himes brought the Pirates up to

their own 27 where they were forced to kick. Three plays later, Norco exchanged the boot to the Spring City 28, and the Pirates put together a drive that netted four first downs on the way to the Norco 18 before being stalled.

Himes, Edwards and Bainbridge alternated in taking Stoudt's pitch-outs and handoffs to come to the Norco 40, then Edwards took off for 17 yards around left end, winding up on the 'Cat 21. Bainbridge bulled his way to the 18, where the strong Norco defense stopped the drive, a ground play and an aerial, later.

On the first play of the final quarter, Stoudt passed to Bainbridge on the 20. Edwards carried to the Norco 14, and Himes was thrown back to the 15. Norco took over after John Mullen, Norco center, dragged Hunter down back on the 20.

After a mixture of runnings and passes brought Norco up to its own 40, a penalty and good defensive play on the part of the Pirates pushed the Wildcats back to their 25 where they were forced to kick.

One play after the boot, Stoudt flipped to Bill Jones on the Pirates 48, but Jones couldn't hold on to the ball and Whitlach recovered at that point.

The Wildcats couldn't pick up any real estate, and with four minutes left to play, kicked to the Spring City 10, where Stipa took

the punt and returned to the 25.

Stoudt's jump pass to Bainbridge was good on the Spring City 35. He was caught from behind on his own 46 by Helfrich. Another Stoudt pass to Jones was completed on the Pirate's 45. Jones went to the Norco 41.

The Pirate back faded again, and this time hit Hunter on the Wildcat's nine, then the fireworks began.

Stoudt's NEXT heave was stolen by Clemens in the end zone. He ran it out to the five, then took to the air himself.

Hunter grabbed Clemens' return aerial on the Norco 20 and went back to the 10 with two minutes to play. Stoudt jump-passed but it was no good, however a pass interference penalty against Norco gave Spring City the ball and an automatic first down on the Wildcat's one.

Stoudt's handoff to Bainbridge went nowhere, and an offside penalty put the Pirates back to the six. Edwards went off left tackle to the four with 40 seconds left in the game, then Stoudt pitched out to Hunter who went through the same spot to the two.

At the 25 second mark, Stoudt's pitchout to Edwards dropped the Pirates back on the Norco five, and Hunter carried back to the two as the game ended.

**ENDS:** North Coventry. Hohl, Stipa. TACKLES: Hewitt, McAfee, Thomas. GUARDS: Lash, Hughes, Root. CENTERS: Gerty, Mullin. BACKS: Asso, Clemmens, Brower. Whitlach, Domin, Helfrich, D. Zelenak.

**SPRING CITY**  
**ENDS:** Pinkbliner, Seelye. TACKLES: Saylor, Black, Erb. GUARDS: Jones, Miller. CENTERS: Addis, Caparro. BACKS: Bainbridge, Himes, Hunter, Stipa, Stoudt, Edwards.

**Score by periods:**  
North Coventry 0 0 0 0-0  
Spring City 0 0 0 0-0

**STATISTICS**  
First downs 3 15  
By rushing 1 13  
By passing 2 2  
By penalties 1 1  
Passes attempted 12 4  
Passes completed 6 4  
Passes intercepted by 2 3  
Fumbles 3 4  
Own fumbles 2 4  
Opp. fumbles 2 2  
Net yards rushing 29 148  
Net yards passing 33 70  
Total net yardage 62 228

**HELLERTOWN**  
**ENDS:** Eisenhart, Wagner, Johnson, McCall. TACKLES: Deemer, Gruber, Berdinski, Dravitz, Hermanovitch. GUARDS: Relf, Forest, Barnett, Brader, Sosko. CENTERS: Delitz. BACKS: J. Donnelly, B. Donnelly, McGoldrick, Lysick, Fritzman, Bolko.

**UPPER PERKIOMEN**  
**ENDS:** Schmoey, Nelmy, Gilbert, Trichter. TACKLES: Breisch, Winsch, Eschbach, Moll. GUARDS: Borzelli, Yoki, Rothenberger, Conrad. CENTERS: Schmidt, Miklos. BACKS: Fetterman, Fritz, Smith, Bruner, Miller, Graber.

**Score by periods:**  
Hellertown 0 0 0 0-0  
Upper Perk 7 6 12 7-33  
Upper Perk touchdowns: Fritz 3, Smith, Miller. Extra points: Smith 2.

**Upper Perk Rolls to 5th Straight Win at Hellertown**  
Upper Perkiomen's fifth straight win on Saturday was a duplicate of its second victory this season as a host Hellertown team went down before the Indians 32-0 onslaught.

Coach Dave Pritchard's team previously beat Spring City by the same count. The Indians are now undefeated in six games with only an opening-night tie with Quakertown to mar its record.

Del Fritz was the big scorer against Hellertown as he romped for three touchdowns. Bob Smith added another TD and two extra points to his impressive total and substitute halfback Charlie Miller tabbed the Indians final six-points.

Upper Perk scored in every quarter as Fritz opened the point making with a 40-yard jaunt around right end. The speedy right-halfback took advantage of good blocking at the line of scrimmage and then turned on the heat to outrun the home boys.

Smith toured the other end for the second touchdown on a run of 30 yards in the second period to give his team a 13-point lead at halftime.

The Indian defense led by little Kenny Bozzelli, Carl Winsch and Larry Yoki held every Hellertown offensive gesture in check.

**FRITZ RESUMED** the scoring for UP in the third quarter as he returned a kick 47 yards after a Perk thrust had been halted deep in Hellertown territory.

It was Fritz again a few minutes later as he picked a Hellertown aerial out of the air and ran it back 25 yards for a TD.

With several reserves in action in the fourth quarter, the Indians put on a sustained march that ended with Miller bucking over

from the five yard line.

Smith, the dropkick specialist booted two extra points after the first and last touchdowns, to give him eight points for the day and boost his total to 49, for the season. Fritz upped his total to 42 points, tied for second in the area with Ted Kerschner of Schwenksville.

Although he did not figure in the scoring, Terry Fetterman played an important part in keeping the Indian attack rolling from his signal calling post.

Nest Saturday the Perkies face a traditional rival, Royersford at East Greenville. The Indians will be out to avenge a 12-6 defeat to the Eagles last year.

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**Miller Runs 86 Yards**  
**Royersford Loses, 26-13 At Yeadon**  
Long runs and plenty of scoring featured Yeadon's 26-13 win over Royersford Saturday afternoon at Yeadon.  
Although the home team did most of the sprinting, it was Charlie Miller's 86-yard kickoff return that was the most exciting jaunt of the afternoon.  
Despite a big edge in first downs, the Eagles allowed Yeadon to score three times on runs of 86, 64 and 50 yards. Jack Boyd was the chief threat for Yeadon as he raced 64 yards in the first period to start the scoring and completed the point making for the afternoon with a 50 trot. He carried the ball 13 times and gained 166 yards.  
Yeadon's other cross-country tally came in the second period when Bob French bolted 86 yards and later added a few more gains to total 98 yards for the day.  
It was directly after French's touchdown that Miller returned the kickoff for one of Royersford's scores. Charlie caught the boot on his 14-yard line and started up the middle. His blockers gave him a lane and he romped through with only Boyd getting a crack at him on the Yeadon 40. Miller shook loose for Boyd's futile attempt and raced for the end zone. Hal Johnston tried to buck over for the point but failed.  
Royersford had a drive going that moved to the Yeadon 11 before the halftime whistle halted it. The march started back on the Eagles' 20 but with Jansen Fray gaining big yardage on the ground the 'Fords were rolling. Another big gainer was a pass from Miller to Jim Bauer that covered 18 yards down to the Yeadon 12. Time ran out one play later on the 11.  
A couple of fumbles bogged down the Royersford attack in the third period and an intercepted

pass by Yeadon started the home team to its third TD as the fourth quarter opened. It took the winners nine plays to march 50 yards with Bob Stith going the final seven yards over his left tackle.  
Coach Bob McNelly used his reserves the rest of the game and with Ted Wojton, Art Nettles, Bill Butterfield and Ralph Beiber carrying the ball, the Eagle offense looked good.  
ED ROSSEY recovered a Yeadon fumble on the home team's 10-yard line and in three plays Royersford had its second touchdown. Wojton went the final four through the middle and then bulled over for the extra point. That cut Yeadon's lead to seven points, 20-13.  
Yeadon brought the ensuing kickoff back to midfield and then on second down, Boyd slipped through the middle and outraced the Royersford reserves for the clincher.  
It was the Eagles fifth loss against two wins and upped Yeadon's record to 5-1.  
**ROYERSFORD**  
**ENDS:** H. Wojton, Keim, Baur, Clemens, Thren, Atkinson. TACKLES: Pinkbliner, Rogers, Geiser, Rousey, Wilson, Shaner, Berastress. GUARDS: E. Miller, Greenwalt, Dinocenti, Marquardt, Yeoman. CENTERS: Geiss, Boettger, Undercoffer. BACKS: Johnson, C. Miller, Beiber, T. Wojton, Rantz, Nettles, Carl, Fray.

**YEADEON**  
**ENDS:** D. Stith Ross. TACKLES: D. Cropper, W. Cropper, Creston, Moskovitz. GUARDS: Haines, Hamilton, Agre, Brady. CENTER: Sisti. BACKS: Reader, French, Boyd, R. Stith, Danila, Jones, Seda, Shapiro. Score by periods: Royersford 6 0 6 7-13 Yeadon 13 13 0 12-26 Yeadon scoring: Touchdowns - Miller T. Wojton, Fray - Wojton. Yeadon scoring: Touchdowns - Boyd 2, French, R. Smith, Fray - Stith.

**STATISTICS**  
First downs 4 12  
By rushing 4 10  
By passing 0 2  
By penalties 0 1  
Yards gained-rushing 301 195  
Yards lost-rushing 5 10  
Plays called-rushing 32 43  
Plays called-passing 4 7  
Completions 1 2  
Yards gained 9 20  
Intercepted by 2 1  
Total yards gained 305 213  
Fumbles 2 3  
Fumbles lost 1 3  
Punts 5 3  
Total yards 378 286  
Average yards per punt 13.8 28.7  
Yards rushing 23 23  
Yards lost-penalties 55 30

**Satch Paige Hurt**  
WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Nov. 1 (AP)—Satch Paige, veteran Negro pitcher with the St. Louis Browns, now the Baltimore Orioles, suffered three broken ribs and a possible dislocated or broken shoulder in an automobile accident early today, it was reported.



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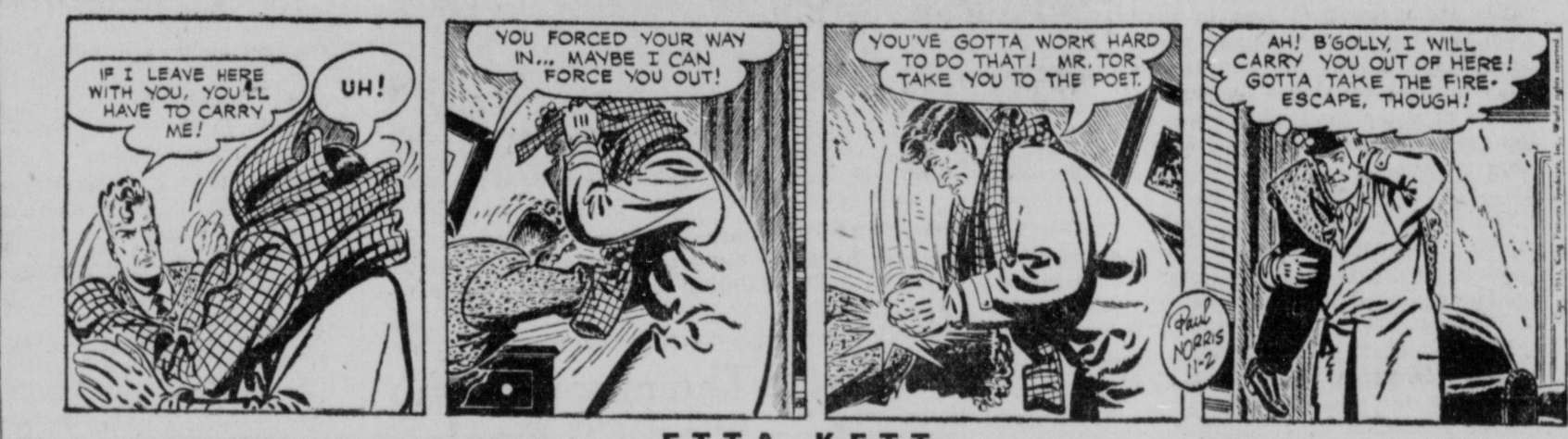
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### Quiet Election Day Seen Tomorrow; No Contests Slated in Twin Boroughs

One new borough councilman in Royersford, two in Spring City and one new school director in Spring City will be elected at an expected quiet General Election day in Twin Borough tomorrow. The polls will be open from 7 a. m. to 8 p. m. No contests are slated in either borough.

Ralph W. Hilborn, 400 block of Green street, Royersford, who gained the Republican nomination for town council without opposition at the primaries, will be running unopposed tomorrow, to replace Harry K. Kulp, Fourth ward. Kulp, whose term is expiring, has not sought re-election.

In Spring City the new members of the council to run without opposition are Richard W. Latshaw, Third ward, and Robert E. Hepp, Second ward. They also will succeed two members whose terms expire and are not seeking to be re-elected, W. Kenneth Rothmel and Rudolph Kirchhoff.

Spring City's new school director will be Dr. C. E. Moser, who ran for the post when Warren S. Woodward, veteran member whose term is expiring, decided not to run again. Woodward served the school district 24 years.

OTHER borough officials, running to succeed themselves, all on the Republican slate, are:

### PHOENIXVILLE HOSPITAL

Admitted: Adolph Irey, Phoenixville RD 2; Gabor Hogga, Mary Beth Granacher, Merrill Hillebeitel, Thomas Taroski, Mrs. Mayme Quay, Donald McAvoy, Nicholas Irey, all of Phoenixville; Kathleen Becher, Oaks; Mrs. Mary Cox, Oliver Place, Royersford; Mrs. Ella Grebe, Collegeville; Maurice Fogarty and William Raquet, Bridgeport.

Discharged: Robert Patrick, Mrs. Mary Natale, Ann Marie Brango, Mrs. William Grover and son, Richard Stone, Mrs. Harold Sowers, Theodore Campbell, Mrs. John Favinger and son, Mrs. Leslie Hunter, Mrs. Edward Rimmer, all of Phoenixville; Rudolph H. Taylor Jr., Mrs. Clair Hilborn, Spring City; Mrs. Arthur Headly, Chester Springs; Thomas Wisniewski, Shenandoah; John Freed, Royersford; Ralph Dalton, Audubon; Samuel Yerger, Mont Clare.

Admitted and discharged: John D. Miller, Devault; Ira Hartman, Spring City; Mrs. Gladys Banks, Phoenixville.

Births: To Mrs. Iwan Dumczyk, Phoenixville, a boy; Mrs. Owen J. Scanlin, Phoenixville, a boy; Mrs. Paul Franz, Phoenixville, a girl; Mrs. William Hoffman, Phoenixville, a boy.

### Twin-Boro Classified

**Deaths**  
LEWIS—In Pottstown Memorial hospital, on Friday, Oct. 30, 1953, Lawrence B. husband of Bertha M. Lewis. Relatives and friends are invited to the service at the funeral home of W. D. Geiser, 600 Washington St., Royersford, on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Interment, Fernwood cemetery. Friends may call Tuesday evening 7 to 9. (Geiser)

**Strayed, Lost, Found**  
FOUND—Sum of money in Spot Lunch-ette, Oct. 24. Owner may have by paying ad. Call Royersford 993.

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Painting and Paperhanging, estimates given. Roy Keen, 359 Bridge street, Spring City. Phone Royersford 738.

**Articles for Sale**  
RUMMAGE SALE, Spring City Needlework Guild, at 36 N. Main St., Nov. 6 and 7. Collections Wednesday. Call Royersford 254-J or 230-J.

Everything in freezer supplies. Freezers, tailors, Kordite bags and boxes. Pint containers 3c ea. McKisick's. Phone 35.

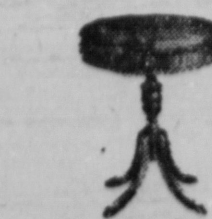
**Wanted—Rooms for Board**  
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### Phoenixville Man Fined After Royersford Fight

A fist fight outside Royersford High school was settled in the office of Justice of the Peace John W. Hunsicker late Saturday night.

Summoned to the school about 10:30 o'clock, Patrolman Uriah Fox arrested John Joseph Polinski, Phoenixville. The other alleged participant, Robert Quinn, Linfield, got away.

Polinski was fined \$10 and costs at a hearing shortly before midnight. A warrant was issued for Quinn.

### Church Calendar

Grace Lutheran: Tonight, 7 o'clock, Girl Scouts; tomorrow night, 6:30 o'clock, junior catechetical class; 7:30 o'clock, Sunday school association; 8 o'clock, church council; Wednesday night, 6:30 o'clock, confirmation class; Thursday night, 6:30 o'clock, chapel choir rehearsal; 8 o'clock, senior choir rehearsal; Saturday, 10 a. m., Brownies. Sunday, annual Thank-Offering service.

Spring City Methodist: Tonight Girl Scouts; tomorrow night, 6:30 o'clock, Bible club of boys and girls, open to all children of the community; Wednesday night, 7:30 o'clock, Prayer Fellowship; Thursday, 2:15 p. m., Released Time School of Religion; 6:30 p. m., junior choir; 7:30 p. m., senior choir; Friday night, Boy Scouts. Sunday night, World Peace service.

Epiphany (Episcopal): Thursday, 4 p. m., youth choir; 7 p. m., senior choir.

Evangelical Congregational: Tonight, 7:30 o'clock, steward board meeting; tomorrow night, 7 o'clock, trustee board meeting; 8 o'clock, official board meeting; Wednesday night, 7:30 o'clock, prayer meeting; 8:45 o'clock, choir rehearsal.

Royersford Methodist: Tonight, 7:30 o'clock, Boy Scouts; Wednesday, 10:30 a. m., WSCS conference meeting at Bala-Cynwyd; 7:45 p. m., mid-week prayer service; 9 p. m., official board; Thursday night, 8 o'clock, senior choir; Friday night, 6:30 o'clock, Northwest district meeting for church officials at Church of the Advocate, Germantown; Saturday, 10 a. m., Brownie troop meeting.

STEEL GAINS REPORTED  
PITTSBURGH, Nov. 1 (AP)—Superior Steel corporation reported major gains in both income and sales today for the first nine months of 1953.

### Notice To South Coventry Voters:

A personal letter to the voters of South Coventry Township, and would ask that you kindly read before voting.

Three years ago a legal petition signed by residents of South Coventry Township was presented to the Board of Road Supervisors to provide police protection on a part time basis. This petition was acted upon by three different boards and each time rejected requests that the present constable be appointed the police officer. In each instance as the past board members will testify, your present Justice of the Peace remained in a neutral position. This stand by the squire was to make sure that no one could honestly accuse him of collusion in a township fining racket. However, certain disgruntled Republicans who wish to gain party leadership have falsely and vigorously stated the following untruths:

- 1st—That it is a racket.
  - 2nd—That the Officer costs too much money.
  - 3rd—That I am unfair.
- In denying these falsehoods, let me state the following:
- 1st—My books are open for inspection by any taxpayer in the township.
  - 2nd—Regardless of race, creed or color, everyone has been given and will be given a fair hearing. In many instances, no case brought forth by virtue of technical details.
  - 3rd—Police protection for 1952 cost less than five cents per resident per month.
  - 4th—The law is administered impartially and to the best of my ability.

I would like to point out to you, for six months each year, for the past four years your squire has acquired certificates of attainment for further study under the Chester County Magistrates Association.

It is with the above information that you should be able to judge more accurately your voting capacity.

Your present Squire appreciates your confidence in him and solicits your vote on November third.

Sincerely yours,  
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Here's the student body of Pottstown Business school a quarter-century ago, with the co-founder and head of the school, the late Frederick E. Kelley, standing in the right rear corner. The school then was located at 258 High street, having moved there from the Security building.

The school was founded in 1895. Commercial courses were not then offered in high school. This photo was loaned by Mr. and Mrs. Jesse H. Begel, 340 High street, present owners of the school.

### Pravda Paper Reports Ten Given Jail Terms

VIENNA Austria, Nov. 1 (AP)—The Pilsen newspaper Pravda reports that ten persons have been sentenced to long prison terms in that Czechoslovak city for distributing "subversive leaflets." Seven men and three women received terms from life to six years.

Observers here believed they

may have been among the scores of persons arrested in June when anti-Communist rioters invaded the city hall, tore down pictures

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### New Officers Announced By Ruppert PTA Group

TRAPPE—Mrs. Donald Yerkes, Corr., Phone Schwenksville 4972, George Clarke Jr. and John E. Hartman Jr., Del., Phone Collegeville 1576.

Mrs. Louisa Nace, Schwenksville, spent a week here with her sister, Mrs. Louis Kruckeberg, Black Rock road.

A change has been made in the officers of the Ruppert Kindergarten Parent-Teacher group as follows: Mrs. Robert Hayes will be serving as president of the organization and Mrs. Raymond Pearlstone as vice presidents.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O. Lebo entertained recently Mrs. Annie Wean and Jacob and Bruce Wean, all of Lansdowne; Mrs. Weisinger and Jean and Virginia Weisinger, Manoa; Mr. and Mrs. Gus Spidel, Conshohocken, and Mrs. Eleanor Crone and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brown and son, Barry, all of Alden.

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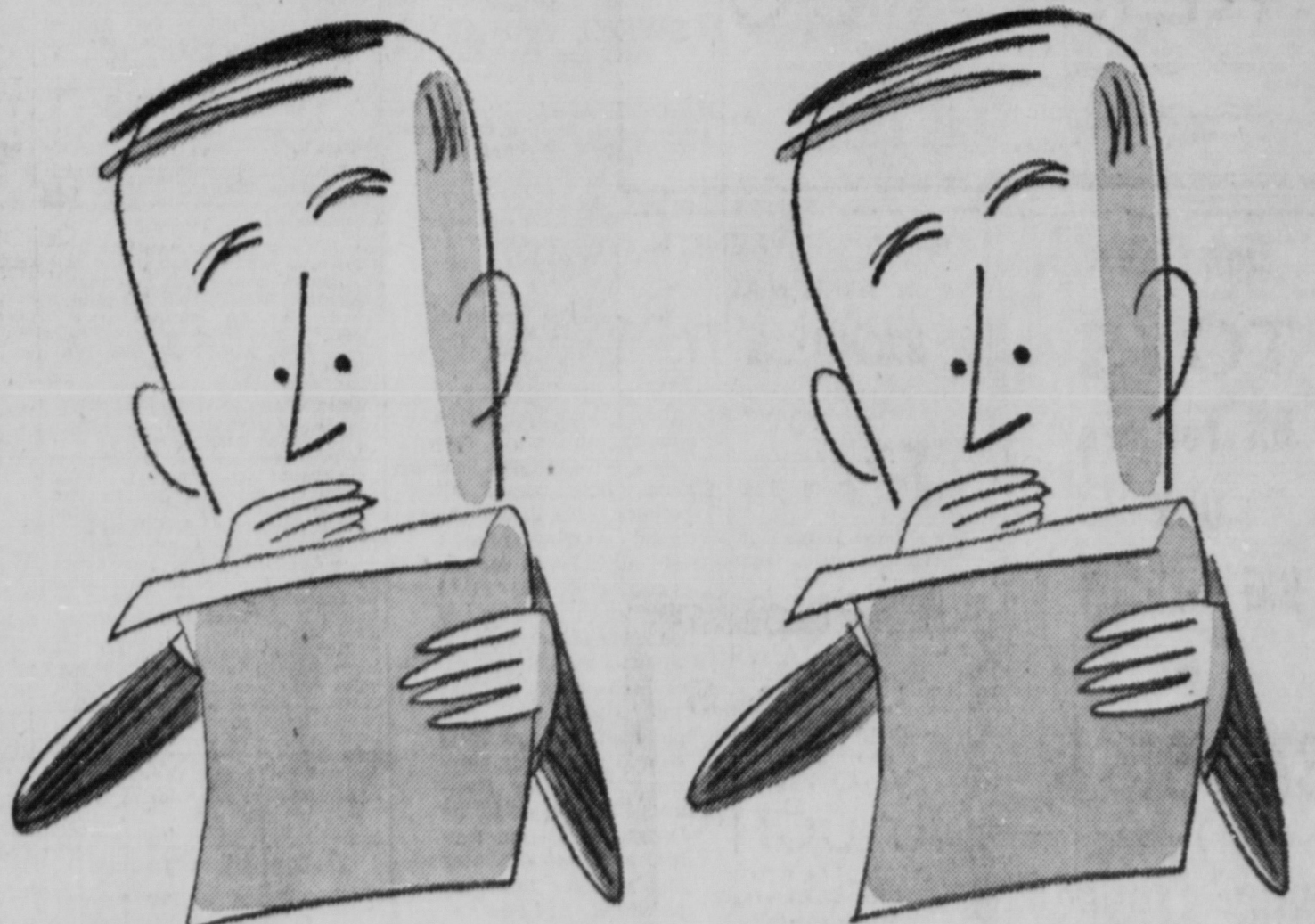
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WELL, IF IT'S ANCIENT THERE'S A MAN IN OUR BRIDGE CLUB WHO WAS WITH A MUSEUM IN LONDON AS AN EXPERT ON ANTHROPOLOGY AND ARCHAEOLOGY! I'LL ASK HIM OVER TO SEE IF HE CAN FIGURE IT OUT!

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9 Melodies of a long poem	4 Distant	26 Any spit	28 Artificial hazard (golf)
12 Ward off	5 Forbid (Her)	29 Piece of baked clay	30 Metal
13 Mountains (So Am)	6 Wavy	32 Projecting end of a church	33 Piece to hold parts
14 Malt beverage	7 Boil slowly	34 Equipment	
15 An old, worn-out horse	8 Stocking arrangement		
17 Female sheep	10 Orderly enclosure		
18 Pig pens	11 Sloths		
20 Australian marsupials	16 Laths		
23 Guide	19 Fling		
27 African antelope	20 Hebrew dry measure (var)		
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IT'S OVER—YOU OKAY, SPUD?

YEAH—BUT WHAT A SHOCK THAT WAS!

IT WAS ONLY A SMALL PRELIMINARY ERUPTION... THERE'LL BE MORE BIGGER ONES!

ROSS, ROSS! WHAT HAPPENED TO YOU?

**MUGGS McGINNIS**

COME WITH ME, SKEETER! I NEED YOUR HELP!

GOSH! WHAT IS IT, MUGGS?

I'M DUE IN MY HISTORY CLASS IN FIFTEEN SECONDS, AND I FORGOT MY TEXT BOOK!

WELL, WHAT DO YOU WANT WITH ME?

YOU SHOULDN'T NEED ANY HELP TO GET YOUR HISTORY BOOK OUT OF YOUR LOCKER!

I DON'T!

NOW IS WHEN I NEED HELP! PUT THIS STUFF BACK, LIKE A GOOD FELLOW, WILL YOU?

**BRICK BRADFORD**

IF I LEAVE HERE WITH YOU, YOU'LL HAVE TO CARRY ME!

UH!

YOU FORCED YOUR WAY IN... MAYBE I CAN FORCE YOU OUT!

YOU'VE GOTTA WORK HARD TO DO THAT! MR. TOR TAKE YOU TO THE POST!

AH! B'GOLLY, I WILL CARRY YOU OUT OF HERE! GOTTA TAKE THE FIRE-ESCAPE, THOUGH!

**ETTA KETT**

OH, BOY, WE'VE GOT HER CORNERED! SHE CAN'T GET AWAY FROM US NOW!

SARONG CLUB DRIVER—STOP HERE!

WE'RE LOOKING FOR A CUTE LITTLE BLONDE ABOUT SO TALL—SHE PHONED FROM HERE—

TAKE YOUR PICK—

**BIG SISTER**

YES, I'M MARTIN WOOD—BUT WHO ARE YOU AND WHY HAVE YOU BOTHERED MY CHILDREN? SPEAK UP, MAN!

WAIT! NOW DON'T GET EXCITED! I'LL EXPLAIN!

I'M AN OLD FRIEND OF YOURS, WOOD. DON'T YOU REMEMBER ME?

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I'M SHORE I DON'T KNOW NOthin' ABOUT BRIBIN', SUT

I'VE HEERED TELL THEM GOOD—FER NOthin'! FLATLANDERS TAKE A LITTLE BRIBE NOW AN' THEN—BUT VE SHORE COULDN'T GIVE NO MONEY TO A UPSTANDIN' JUDGE LIKE ME

I ONLY GOT THREE DOLLARS, BUT—UH

AIN'T THAT A PURTY SUNSET OVER YONDER, SUT?

**THE LONE RANGER**

OUR PLANS, FRIEBY, THINK IT'S SAFE TO LET HIM GET AWAY?

THAT MASKED MAN OVERHEARD YES WE CAN'T WASTE TIME HUNTIN' HIM!

WE'VE GOTTA MAKE OUR MOVE TO SEIZE THE ARMY POST. GET MY UNIFORM READY!

I'LL SURE MAKE A STIR WHEN I RIDE INTO THE FORT!

**MICKEY MOUSE**

LOOK, PLEASE! SOME OTHER TIME! I'M...

HEY!... WHAT'S THIS?!

\*DEAR MICKEY: COME AT ONCE! URGENT! (SIGNED) UNCLE MAXWELL MOUSE!\*

**FELIX THE CAT**

PARDON ME! WHICH WAY TO NIXVILLE?

ER-ER—IT'S—IT'S THAT WAY!

OH, OH!

TO NIXVILLE

TO NIXVILLE



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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Deaths**

**SALENECK**—On Thursday, Oct. 29, 1953, Michael, husband of Emily (Wielocki) Saleneck, aged 66 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Fleischmann Funeral Home, 726 High St. on Monday, Nov. 2 at 8 p. m. Followed by a Requiem High Mass in St. John's Greek Catholic Church, Interment in St. John's Greek Catholic cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home on Sunday evening, 7 to 9. (Fleischmann)

**GERHIS**—Of Station Ave., Centerville, on Thursday, Oct. 29, 1953, Charles H., husband of the late Carrie J. (Schaffer) Gehris, aged 66 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Calvary Lutheran Church, West Chester on Thursday, Nov. 5, at 1:30 p. m. Interment in Mt. Zion cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home on Wednesday evening at the late residence, Green Hills Road, West Chester, 7 to 8:30. (Harley)

**Card of Thanks**

**HOY**

Many thanks to the kind neighbors and friends for the assistance and sympathy and use of cars offered during their recent bereavement.

**PETERSON**

The family of the late Dorothy A. Peterson desires to thank the kind neighbors and friends for the assistance and sympathy, the floral tributes and use of cars offered during their recent bereavement.

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**Persons**

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## Quiet Election Day Seen Tomorrow; No Contests Slated in Twin Boroughs

One new borough councilman in Royersford, two in Spring City and one new school director in Spring City will be elected at an expected quiet General Election day in Twin Borough tomorrow. The polls will be open from 7 a. m. to 3 p. m. No contests are slated in either borough.

Ralph W. Hilborn, 400 block of Green street, Royersford, who gained the Republican nomination for town council without opposition at the primaries, will be running unopposed tomorrow, to replace Harry K. Kulp, Fourth ward, Kulp, whose term is expiring, has not sought re-election.

In Spring City the new members of the council to run without opposition are Richard W. Latshaw, Third ward, and Robert E. Hepp, Second ward. They also will succeed two members whose terms expire and are not seeking to be re-elected, W. Kenneth Rothermel and Rudolph Kirchhof.

Spring City's new school director will be Dr. C. E. Moser, who ran for the post when Warren S. Woodward, veteran member whose term is expiring, decided not to run again. Woodward served the school district 24 years.

OTHER borough officials, running to succeed themselves, all on the Republican slate, are:

## PHOENIXVILLE HOSPITAL

Admitted: Adolph Irey, Phoenixville RD 2; Gabor Hogga, Mary Beth Granacher, Merrill Hiltbeitel, Thomas Taroski, Mrs. Mayme Quay, Donald McAvoy, Nicholas Irey, all of Phoenixville, Kathleen Becher, Oaks; Mrs. Mary Cox, Oliver Place, Royersford; Mrs. Ella Grebe, Collegeville; Maurice Fogarty and William Raquet, Bridgeport.

Discharged: Robert Patrick, Mrs. Mary Natale, Ann Marie Brango, Mrs. William Grover and son, Richard Stone, Mrs. Harold Sowers, Theodore Campbell, Mrs. John Favinger and son, Mrs. Leslie Hunter, Mrs. Edward Rimmer, all of Phoenixville; Rudolph H. Taylor Jr., Mrs. Clair Hilborn, Spring City; Mrs. Arthur Heady, Chester Springs; Thomas Wisniewski, Shenandoah; John Freed, Royersford; Ralph Dalton, Audubon; Samuel Yergler, Mont Clare.

Admitted and discharged: John D. Miller, Devault; Ira Hartman, Spring City; Mrs. Gladys Banks, Phoenixville.

Births: To Mrs. Iwan Dumczyk, Phoenixville, a boy; Mrs. Owen J. Scanlin, Phoenixville, a boy; Mrs. Paul Franz, Phoenixville, a girl; Mrs. William Hoffman, Phoenixville, a boy.

## Twin-Boro Classified

- Deaths** 1  
LEWIS—In Pottstown Memorial hospital, on Friday, Oct. 30, 1953, Lawrence B., husband of Bertha M. Lewis, relatives and friends are invited to the service at the funeral home of W. D. Geiser, 600 Washington St. Royersford, on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Interment Fernwood cemetery. Friends may call Tuesday evening 7 to 9 (Geiser)
- Strayed, Lost, Found** 16  
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- Articles for Sale** 46  
RUMMAGE SALE, Spring City Needlework Guild, at 36 N. Main St. Nov. 6 and 7. Collections Wednesday. Call Royersford 254-J or 230-J
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- Wanted—Rooms for Board** 66  
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## Phoenixville Man Fined After Royersford Fight

A fist fight outside Royersford High school was settled in the office of Justice of the Peace John W. Hunsicker late Saturday night.

Summoned to the school about 10:30 o'clock, Patrolman Uriah Fox arrested John Joseph Polinski, Phoenixville. The other alleged participant, Robert Quinn, Linfield, got away.

Polinski was fined \$10 and costs at a hearing shortly before midnight. A warrant was issued for Quinn.

## Church Calendar

Grace Lutheran: Tonight, 7 o'clock, Girl Scouts; tomorrow night, 6:30 o'clock, junior catechetical class; 7:30 o'clock, Sunday school association; 8 o'clock, church council; Wednesday night, 6:30 o'clock, confirmation class; Thursday night, 6:30 o'clock, chapel choir rehearsal; 8 o'clock, senior choir rehearsal; Saturday, 10 a. m., Brownies. Sunday, annual Thank-Offering service.

Spring City Methodist: Tonight, Girl Scouts; tomorrow night, 6:30 o'clock, Bible club of boys and girls, open to all children of the community; Wednesday night, 7:30 o'clock, Prayer Fellowship, Thursday, 2:15 p. m., Released Time School of Religion; 6:30 p. m., junior choir; 7:30 p. m., senior choir; Friday night, Boy Scouts. Sunday night, World Peace service.

Epiphany (Episcopal): Thursday, 4 p. m., youth choir; 7 p. m., senior choir.

Evangelical Congregational: Tonight, 7:30 o'clock, steward board meeting; tomorrow night, 7 o'clock, trustee board meeting; 8 o'clock, official board meeting; Wednesday night, 7:30 o'clock, prayer meeting; 8:45 o'clock, choir rehearsal.

Royersford Methodist: Tonight, 7:30 o'clock, Boy Scouts; Wednesday, 10:30 a. m., WSCS conference meeting at Bala-Cynwyd; 7:45 p. m., mid-week prayer service; 9 p. m., official board; Thursday night, 8 o'clock, senior choir; Friday night, 6:30 o'clock, Northwest district meeting for church officials at Church of the Advocate, Germantown, Saturday, 10 a. m., Brownie troop meeting.

## Notice To South Coventry Voters:

A personal letter to the voters of South Coventry Township, and would ask that you kindly read before voting.

Three years ago a legal petition signed by residents of South Coventry Township was presented to the Board of Road Supervisors to provide police protection on a part time basis. This petition was acted upon by three different boards and each time rejected requests that the present constable be appointed the police officer. In each instance as the past board members will testify, your present Justice of the Peace remained in a neutral position. This stand by the squire was to make sure that no one could honestly accuse him of collusion in a township fining racket. However, certain disgruntled Republicans who wish to gain party leadership have falsely and vigorously stated the following untruths:

- 1st—That it is a racket.
- 2nd—That the Officer costs too much money.
- 3rd—That I am unfair.

In denying these falsehoods, let me state the following:

- 1st—My books are open for inspection by any taxpayer in the township.
- 2nd—Regardless of race, creed or color, everyone has been given and will be given a fair hearing. In many instances, no case brought forth by virtue of technical details.
- 3rd—Police protection for 1952 cost less than five cents per resident per month.
- 4th—The law is administered impartially and to the best of my ability.

I would like to point out to you, for six months each year, for the past four years your squire has acquired certificates of attainment for further study under the Chester County Magistrates Association.

It is with the above information that you should be able to judge more accurately your voting capacity.

Your present Squire appreciates your confidence in him and solicits your vote on November third.

Sincerely yours,  
WILLIAM S. SYMONS

—Political Adv.

### Burlesque Gives Way To Revival Meetings

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 1 (AP)—The Alvin theater, a burlesque house, held its last show today.

In about three weeks the Alvin becomes a tabernacle.

The Rev. Russell H. Olson, pastor of Fremont tabernacle, plans to conduct nightly revival meetings in the theater.

## Parade Slated Tonight

Hallowe'en lingers on in Spring City another day, to give the paraders opportunity to stage their annual pageant. The kiddie celebration, called off the past Thursday night because of rain, will be held tonight beginning at 7:30 o'clock, from Main and New streets.

## Do You Remember?

Those grand old days when Pottstown and area was in its infancy—Here's another photo that may recapture a few moments of eternity for you, a picture to stir your memory and let you catch a glimpse of the past.



Here's the student body of Pottstown Business school a quarter-century ago, with the co-founder and head of the school, the late Frederick E. Kelley, standing in the right rear corner. The school then was located at 258 High street, having moved there from the Security building.

The school was founded in 1895. Commercial courses were not then offered in high school. This photo was loaned by Mr. and Mrs. Jesse H. Begel, 340 High street, present owners of the school.

## STEEL GAINS REPORTED

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 1 (AP)—Superior Steel corporation reported at Pottstown, Saturday, 10 a. m., sales today for the first nine months of 1953.

## Pravda Paper Reports Ten Given Jail Terms

VIENNA Austria, Nov. 1 (AP)—The Pilsen newspaper Pravda reports that ten persons have been sentenced to long prison terms in that Czechoslovak city for distributing "subversive leaflets." Seven men and three women received terms from life to six years.

Observers here believed they may have been among the scores of persons arrested in June when anti-Communist rioters invaded the city hall, tore down pictures of Stalin and displayed an American flag.

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## New Officers Announced By Rupper PTA Group

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Mrs. Louisa Nace, Schwenksville, spent a week here with her sister, Mrs. Louis Kruckeberg, Black Rock road.

A change has been made in the officers of the Rupper Kindergarten Parent-Teacher group as follows: Mrs. Robert Hayes will be serving as president of the organization and Mrs. Raymond Pearlstone as vice presidents.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O. Lebo entertained recently Mrs. Annie Wean and Jacob and Bruce Wean, all of Lansdowne; Mrs. Weisinger and Jean and Virginia Weisinger, Manoa; Mr. and Mrs. Gus Spidel, Conshohocken, and Mrs. Eleanor Crone and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brown and son, Barry, all of Alden.

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33 Area Residents Named as Jurors

A list of 33 Pottstown area jurors was reported for duty in Montgomery county civil court for the week of Nov. 16.

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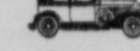
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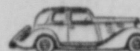
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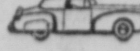
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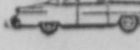
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